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Broadcaster criticizes the PC association executive

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Echo Editor

The members of the Victoria-Haliburton Progressive Conservative riding association executive took a verbal beating from a former PC speech writer Thursday night in Fenelon Falls.

The meeting, held at Fenelon Falls High School, saw Art Dawson of Haliburton elected as party president for the coming term. But Dawson's victory was marred somewhat after an unscheduled outburst from an irate party member.

Outspoken radio broadcaster Bob Tabor, who wrote speeches for candidate Dave Murray during the last provincial election, was one of several speakers asked to take the lectern after natural resources minister Alan Pope cancelled out.

Tabor had attacked the executive on the air just a week before the meeting, and many party officials said candidly after he spoke that they were very surprised that outgoing association president Murray Robinson asked Tabor to speak.

Grey non-entities

Tabor said the party executive

had "no panache and no style" and called its members "grey non-entities" who did nothing but "engage in a game of musical chairs" once a year.

"I have said this on the air... I'm not hiding behind a microphone now; I'm saying this right to your faces," said Tabor.

He said he was "sick and tired" of the way women were relegated to minor roles within the party, stating that they are "much more capable (of doing things other) than making cookies and making coffee."

After a brief discussion of his

political beliefs (Tabor called himself a Conservative by conversion) he turned his attention to the audience of about 65 people. "Why are there so few people here?" he asked. "Why have they opted out?"

At this point an obviously angered Monty Robson, the association's secretary, rose to his feet and asked Tabor to sit down. "This speaker is not contributing to the success of this party," said Robson. A number of members applauded Robson.

"I make no apologies... I'll leave the podium," said Tabor. He strode out of the meeting a few moments later.

A damper on the evening

The party members present seemed shocked by the outburst. There was an undercurrent of mumbling conversation as treasurer Lorne Chester gave his report, and then Dave Murray, unsuccessful in a bid to unseat John Eakins last year, took the stage.

"I feel devastated to here an individual get up and massacre an executive that, in my opinion, worked very hard" in the last election, he began. "A difference of 2,000 votes (against incumbent MPP Eakins) is not a bad showing," he added. Tabor's remarks hurt "everyone in this room," he contended.

"Having said that I would encourage you to keep your faith in this provincial party and year executive," said Murray. "We can win this riding back."

Calling the PC executive "the best" Murray said the party "must keep pushing ahead."

Next to speak was Monty Robson. "I don't think for one minute (that this executive) is crawling after the party line, and I resent the reference," he said. "I make no apology for a good turnout... it's (nearly) Christmas, and there are

two other meetings going on in the community tonight."

"We're not a second rate, grey, non-entity," he continued. He asked all the PC members who had participated "win or lose" in the municipal elections to rise -- and about 15 members did so. "That's not a grey non-entity," he said of the 15.

After the meeting outgoing president Murray Robinson said he believed Robson was "out of order"

Liz Webster of the Fenelon Falls and District Progressive Conservative Women's Association said the PC party had been accused of being "an old boys' network" and certainly needed to attract "intelligent, energetic women" into the fold. Fenelon Falls reeve Marina McLennan welcomed the party members, as did the warden of Victoria County.

Then, after Tabor's outburst, the new executive was named. Art Dawson of Haliburton is the new president. Murray Robinson is the past-president.

The first vice-president will be Ted Hill of Lindsay. The second vice-president is Dave Murray, of Fenelon Falls, and the chief financial officer is Haliburton's Art Ward. Lorne Chester is back as treasurer.

Monty Robson returns as secretary and the membership chairman is Stella McLeish.

Directors from this county include Joe Iles, Bob Nichol, Roy Windover, Jim Deterling and Clare Sisson.

The others include Marina McLennan, Joyce Junkins, Rob Nichol, Mac Gadway, Ross Radway, Nelson Davis and Greg Law.

A vote was required to the 12 directors after the floor was opened for four new nominations. As well one candidate, Liz Webster, declined to run for a directorship.

Webster was asked to re-consider, particularly in light of her comment that intelligent, energetic women are needed by the party. However, she said the party needed some new people.

President-elect Art Dawson said it would be "a pleasure to serve (the party) to the best of my abilities," and thanked all present "for this honor."

The number one priority for the party, he said, is to place a candidate in the house at Queen's Park.



Robson (right) and Robinson listen

in cutting off Tabor. Many of the party executives the Echo spoke to during and after the meeting said they had expected trouble from Tabor, in some form or another, because of his previous broadcast attacking the party executive.

Down to business

Robinson welcomed the members to the meeting at its beginning, and explained that guest speaker Alan Pope had been called into the provincial house for a vote.

Council should aid BIA: Kenney

Councillor Gary Kenney of Anson, Hindon and Minden wants the municipality to tap into its reserve funds and match the federal grant funding received by Minden's BIA committee.

To date the BIA has received \$14,700 from Employment and Immigration Canada, through the Canada community development project. An additional \$10,390 may be added by the federal government if funds become available.

Kenney admitted his plan would cost money, but said he believed it would be "very worthwhile." He praised the work of the BIA in obtaining grant money, and said an opportunity had been given to the municipality's council to show commitment to Minden re-vitalization by matching the federal grant. The money would come from the municipal reserve fund, he added.

The net result would be a "doubling of the money available for street improvements," said the councillor. He tabled his plan Wednesday, and the matter will be debated by council at their next regular meeting.

In a press release issued Wednesday Kenney outlined the aims of his "proposed supplementary grant" as follows:

- to directly support the BIA's initiative and "clearly show the willingness of his council to reinforce a spirit of cooperation amongst merchants throughout the municipality.
- to use the supplementary grant to improve the village business area as well as providing benefit to the business community.

The councillor suggested that local labor and materials be used to build movable, modular vendor's stalls and a walk-through information kiosk. The stalls could be placed in the municipal parking lot and other areas for use as "daily rent craft stalls." These could be used by vendors to sell goods they produced themselves (the vendors are to be residents of the municipality), he pointed out.

The kiosk, stated Kenney, would be useful for "the posting of bills and notices of events and sites in all three townships." The stalls and kiosk, due to their modular construction, could be moved and used at the county fair, or at service club carnivals, he added.

Kenney devised his plan after observing successful craft and farmer's markets in such places as Lindsay, Peterborough and Kitchener. "In many cases local merchants in these areas donate free space on their grounds (plazas,

mall, etc.) in order to accommodate such markets -- knowing full well that an increase in their own business... will be an inevitable result," stated Kenney's release.

Deputy-reeve Ed Pergolas asked where the structures could be built, and Kenney stated that he was confident a suitable location could be found for their construction.

New council sworn in

Anson, Hindon and Minden's newly-elected council was ushered into office Wednesday amid much pomp and circumstance.

Rev Clyde Westhaver advised the new council members to "do what is good... and you will receive His approval."

Reeve Lyle McKnight said he "didn't expect to please everyone all the time," adding that he expected "good constructive criticism, which is the only kind that helps." He warned of tough economic times ahead, but said the new council, "armed" with an excellent administrative staff and municipal employees, is prepared to offer a "plan of attack."

Deputy-reeve Ed Pergolas said

there was a great need to "cut out the wastage."

"We have a great responsibility to our taxpayers to make our taxes affordable," he said. Through hard work Anson, Hindon and Minden "should be able to take our rightful place as the number one municipality in the county."

Councillor Larry Cummins said the new council "should be able to accomplish much" during the upcoming term. Councillor Pat Burk said she wanted to "echo everyone else's feelings," and added that she was finding the job of a councillor "very exciting."

Councillor Gary Kenney said he was "honored" to serve the municipality.

INSIDE THE ECHO



Well, the Jinx had to wear off eventually -- and on Saturday night the Haliburton Huskies posted their first win of the season, a convincing 5-3 victory over Huntsville. But injuries have marred the victory somewhat. For more, please turn to the sports page.

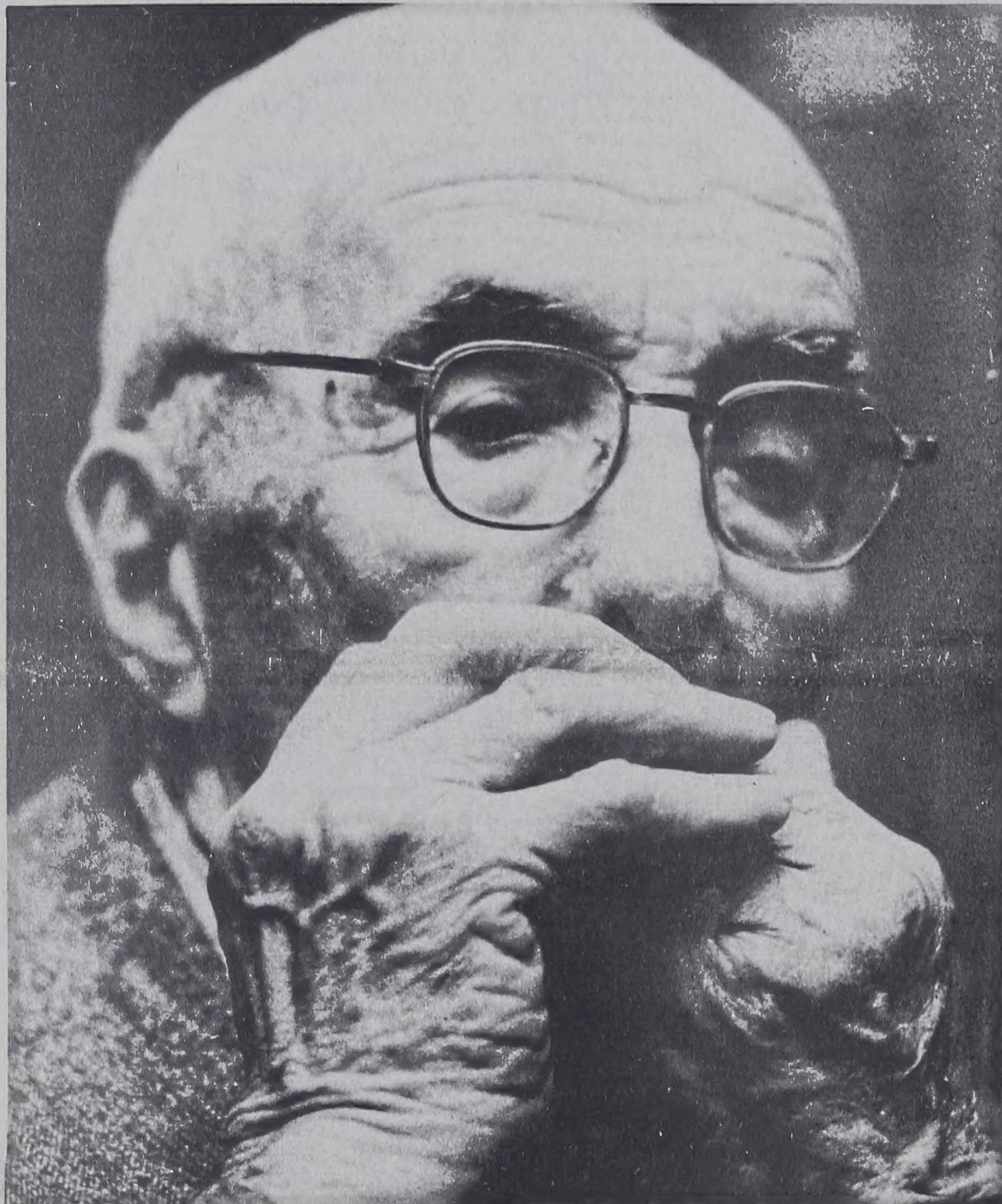
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Octogenarian Bert Harrison, who now resides with his wife at Hyland Crest in Minden, came home to Carnarvon for the Zion United Church annual Christmas concert. Mr Harrison, who contributes a

regular column to the Echo and is a well-known local poet, delighted the audience with several harmonica numbers. Photo by Martin Biefer.

McKnight irked by local OHRP coverage

Reeve Lyle McKnight of Anson, Hindon and Minden has criticized both the *Haliburton County Echo* and *The Times of Minden* for what he called dragging the names of Doug Pritchard and Lloyd Walker "through the mud."

The reeve made his remarks near the end of a rambling six and one half hour council meeting, held Wednesday in the Minden Community Centre. His remarks were made in reference to coverage of the municipality's Ontario Home Renewal Program (OHRP) committee payments, a matter that was debated at the last council meeting November 24. The payments are made from an OHRP account, an account that is separate from the municipality's general revenue fund.

During the course of the Wednesday meeting the new council voted to approve the \$300 committee payments for this year. Reeve McKnight refrained from voting or discussion on the matter.

The vote carried 3-1, with deputy-reeve Ed Pergolas voting against making the payments. Reeve McKnight, as soon as the vote was in, said he would donate his \$300 to the arena plexiglass fund.

A good record of service

McKnight said the OHRP matter should have been cleared up while

both Doug Pritchard and Lloyd Walker were still in office. "The way (the OHRP matter) was printed in the newspapers (had) a tendency to drag the names through the mud, to a certain extent," he added.

Pritchard spent "12 years sitting in elected office... and this is a sad way to see him leave," said the reeve.



A sad way: McKnight

"It's sad for someone who put that much time into the community to leave with that taint," said Reeve McKnight. He said he had never had any arguments with Lloyd Walker or Pritchard, and stressed that both had served the municipality well.

Both sides

The reeve declared an interest in further discussion of the OHRP committee payments, and said he

would leave things up to the new council.

Councillor Pat Burk said that since committees have been paid in the past it would be "too bad to retract" payments from the 1982 committee members. She recommended that council "get off on the right foot" in 1983, and set a specific policy on OHRP. Perhaps all committees could receive pay, she said, since it is "unfair to pay one and not pay another."

She said that Walker, Pritchard, McKnight and Dick Schell "should be paid" for 1982, but that a new policy should be drafted for the future.

Ed Pergolas said it was unfortunate that the matter had come up at the last meeting of the outgoing council. "There was no indication it was coming up," he said. The question of where committee payments "were coming from was brought up last spring... they had a whole year to deal with it," the deputy-reeve pointed out.

He said he had made it clear in the spring that he would vote against the OHRP payments "unless there was a by-law" to cover them. "I couldn't pass it then and I can't (vote for it) now," added Pergolas.

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Names "dragged through the mud"

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Councillor Larry Cummins said payments should be "authorized for 1982 -- but in 1983 (committee members) shouldn't be paid." "That's the only way to go, so far as the auditor is concerned," he said.

Councillor Gary Kenney issued his own press release on the issue, calling for a general procedures by-law paying specific attention to "procedures for all meetings of council" and "definition, privileges, scope and authority of all committees."

In the release Kenney drew attention to several points. He said the practice of making OHRP committee payments was "understood" "by virtue of the fact that cheques were issued, and by comments made by members of council." This has been the practice since 1979, he said.

As well, he pointed out, no resolution eliminating payments was ever made and no directives govern most other committees "with regard to actions taken that are 'understood' to be correct."

He called argument against the payments "largely structural," based as it is on the idea that there "should be formal resolutions of council to regulate the use of funds received via OHRP grants."

Kenney's release stated that any such resolutions should "be initiated by a general procedures by-law."

The councillor also did some digging into the OHRP committee's work load in 1982, and discovered that there were nine applications

completed, ten pending, 11 formal meetings held and "two or three" informal meetings held, and approximately 16 hours spent by the committee on handling those applications over the course of the year.

The conclusions Kenney drew from this were that "the work load tends to be administrative and totally within the guidelines set down by the province." He repeated the figure of 16 hours of work per member per year, and said the hours "tend to be after regular hours of business."

A, H and M council will include committee payment policy in general procedures by-law

Unless a specific policy on payments is contained in a procedural by-law "we will be faced with these same problems continually," said Kenney.

He pointed to a recent \$23,000 out-of-court settlement between the county and a dismissed Hyland Crest staff member as an example of what can happen when guidelines "are not set out."

Deputy-reeve Pergolas said he objected to being depicted "as the heavy" in all of this, repeating that

the matter should have been dealt with during the past year. Councillor Pat Burk said the rest of the council "agrees with you (Pergolas) in principal."

The matter was then put to a vote, and payments for 1982 were approved.

Council decided not to pass a by-law preventing OHRP payments in 1983. Councillor Kenney said committee payments would best be included in a procedural by-law, and said that without one "we could still have OHRP hanging over our heads" in the future.

Some latitude

Sam Carr, the OHRP manager and program administrator from the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing said that municipalities receive ten per cent for administration purposes, and have "a lot of latitude" over how they spend that money. He said that any left-over funds in the OHRP budget on a yearly basis should be saved for future administration costs, since the local municipalities have "assumed a long term liability" for the renovation program.

The ten per cent kept by municipalities is not a large amount of money in some areas, since they might have only "one or two" OHRP projects a year, said Carr. But OHRP administrative fees must be used within provincial guidelines, since municipalities "have an administrative responsibility" to those who have applied for and received OHRP grants, he added.



President-elect Art Dawson (second from the right) of the Victoria-Haliburton provincial PC riding association stands with Murray Robinson (last year's president), Lori Raymond (left) president of the local Young Progressive Conservatives, and Liz Webster

(right) of the Fenelon Falls and District PC Association of Women. Dawson was elected at the party's annual meeting last Thursday night, held in the Fenelon Falls High School.

Bill Howe is the new county warden

The County of Haliburton has a new warden.

Bill Howe, reeve of the recently-created township of Bicroft, was voted into office Tuesday night in Minden.

Warden Howe, after expressing his appreciation to the county council members in attendance, discussed the harsh economic realities that county residents must now face in the year ahead.

"We have to approach this situation with a unified front," he told the county councillors. "Everyone has to work together to achieve (the best) end," he added.

Haliburton County "is the best place in Ontario," said the warden. "Sometimes people don't realize just how fortunate they are

to live here."

Tourism and lumbering are the two major industries in the county, and the development of both must be fostered, said Howe. With proper management in both areas there's no reason why we can't progress," he added.

Haliburton County Act
Howe's first major announcement as county warden

was a pleasant one -- he stated that John Eakins, MPP for Victoria-Haliburton, had told him Tuesday that second and third reading of the Haliburton County Act is expected to take place on January 13, 1983.

A full report on the inaugural meeting will appear in next week's Echo.

Minden sewage rates could climb by 86 per cent

Unless Anson, Hindon and Minden council can exert some "political pressure" on the Ministry of the Environment sewer rates in the village of Minden may rise a whopping 86 per cent by 1984.

Deputy-reeve Ed Pergolas told council members Wednesday that the ministry is seeking a renegotiation of the present sewer rate. While the village of Minden owns its water system, its sewer system is owned by the ministry, he explained.

The municipality is now paying 2.32 cents per 1000 gallons of sewage, and has signed a contract to maintain that rate in 1983. The ministry is asking for a 33 per cent increase, to 3.24 cents a gallon, for 1983.

The increase would mean \$86 more per year for those connected to sewer systems.

Pergolas believes the ministry will simply ask for an even higher rate in 1984 to cover the increase they won't get next year. "They want us to wipe out our (1983)

contract," said Pergolas. However, the municipality will stick to its contract for 1983 -- so there won't be sewer rate increases next year.

The deputy-reeve said he's not all that surprised by the ministry's request, adding that there's always been a difference between the province's estimate of how much sewage treatment Minden requires and how much the village actually needs.

There have always been short-falls, he said.

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Who does little Michelle Hall have her eye on? Why the man in red, of course. Santa was on hand to give out treats to the youngsters at the Zion United Church in Carnarvon Sunday night. The big man brought down the house with his reference to "Olive, the other reindeer."



Little Christopher Little of Lochlin, wearing a bow tie and vest for the occasion, doesn't seem to know quite what to make of Santa Claus. Christopher was one of the many boys and girls who enjoyed the

Snowdon Supporters' first-ever Christmas party, held Sunday afternoon at the Snowdon Community Centre.



Mrs. Fran Clark (foreground) played a visitor from the local church, while Mrs. Mary Stevenson (with the baseball hat) played a wise-cracking young whip in the Zion UCW's Christmas skit, performed Sunday

night as part of the Christmas concert at the Carnarvon church. All performers did very well -- but Mrs. Stevenson put a lot of gusto into her portrayal of young Billy.



Lindsay Francis (left) and a pensive Ritchie Chappel (right) ponder the meaning of Christmas. The young-

sters had important parts to play in a Christmas concert, held Sunday in Carnarvon.



Nancy Bird, seen here as an angel, was one of the soloists in the Sunday School production staged at the Zion United Church Christmas concert in Carnarvon Sunday night. A crowd of close to 100 people filled the church hall.

Santa's on his way

It's Christmas time again, and in the Highlands the festivities are numerous.

In Carnarvon Sunday night the annual Christmas concert was held at the Zion United Church. A good crowd attended the dinner and stayed for the concert, which featured recitals, skits and song. Elgin Stouffer was an amiable master of ceremonies over the course of the evening.

Also on Sunday, in Gelert, the Snowdon Supporters tried their hand at a Christmas party for youngsters of Lochlin, Gelert and Irondale. A large crowd turned out for films, sing-a-longs, and ice cream, milk and cookies...and the Snowdon Community Centre was filled.

Santa made his appearance of course, and handed out treats to the youngsters in both Gelert and Carnarvon.

We'll have more pictures of these and other Christmas events in our Christmas Greetings Supplement, which will appear next week.



Michael Martin (left), David Nicholls (centre) and Karen Shaw line up for ice cream, cookies and milk at the Snowdon Supporters Christmas party, held Sunday afternoon at the Snowdon Community

Centre. Youngsters enjoyed films, sing-a-longs, and a visit from Santa. About 50 people attended the event.

Editorials

PC's reacted well

Bob Tabor's "massacre" of the riding PC association executive may have done it more good than harm.

In contrast to the Liberals the Tories have always made an effort to settle their disputes before the public eye. The Liberals don't like angry outbursts at their meetings, as we can witness from the past national convention. The national Liberal brass effectively polled and catered to the views of their delegates, so that there would be no unpleasantness before the bright lights of the media.

Last Thursday's meeting, although on a smaller scale, was the same sort of thing. Tabor's solitary voice of dissent was allowed to be heard -- although it was eventually silenced, perhaps prematurely. But rather than ignoring his protests the party members dealt with them.

Tabor raised two important points -- the role of women in the party, and the need for new faces on the party executive. Partly as a result of his remarks, the floor was opened up for new nominations for directorships -- and several women were asked to run.

Although some of the women asked to run declined, and one withdrew her name from the list of candidates, two of the 12 directors elected were women...and a woman polled the most votes in the election.

Add the membership chairman's name to the list and you have three women in a position to move up the rungs of the PC party ladder.

The addition of new candidates to augment the list provided by the party's nominating committee also shows the party's desire to introduce some new blood into its ranks.

If Tabor's caustic assessment of the executive had any purpose it was to give the party a kick in the side, to wake it up and move it ahead. Most of those present took it as a personal insult from a disgruntled individual.

But by dealing with the situations suggested by Tabor, and by taking immediate steps to remedy it, the Tories rose above the indignity of the verbal assault.

You can bet that they'll be working towards improving both areas when they meet again next year.

No mud here

It is unfortunate that Anson, Hindon and Minden reeve elect Lyle McKnight feels the names of Doug Pritchard and Lloyd Walker have been "dragged through the mud" by the local press.

It is quite commendable, as well, to see McKnight stand up for the two former council members -- one of whom he defeated just over a month ago in the municipal elections...and to give his \$300 OHRP cheque to charity.

But McKnight's statements of personal regret and sadness have missed the point of both article and editorial. The press was not "going after" any member of Anson, Hindon and Minden council, past or present.

The conduct of individual council members is not the issue here -- what is at stake is the council's method of dealing with the question of payments to OHRP committee members.

Discussion by council members and a press release from Councillor Gary Kenney all drew the same conclusion -- that the payments have been made in the past, were "understood," and should be made for 1982.

The council quite correctly voted to include the issue of future committee payments in its general procedures by-law, which should be dealt with in the near future. There will be a clear by-law governing the making of payments.

Not once, in any discussion, was mention made of verifying with the province what the correct use of OHRP funds should be. Is council certain the municipality is entitled to use the ten per cent of OHRP funding it keeps in whatever way it sees fit?

There's one thing that is crystal clear. The council's intentions are honorable, and they intend to try and right any wrong or misunderstood practice of years gone by.

Remember that the money itself is of little consequence. Municipal politicians, once elected, take on an incredible range of responsibilities for little pay and less glory.



Christmas at the Zion United Church, Carnarvon

Photo by Martin Biefer

Letters to the Editor

No "mini-county"

The Haliburton Echo:

to the editor STOP regarding your last editorial STOP last paragraph STOP last word STOP "mini-county" STOP thought you up there were the same as us ordinary folks down here in anson, hindon, minden, lutteworth and stanhope etc. STOP looked all through the ontario municipal act STOP no such place as a mini-county STOP saw a movie once STOP called the mouse that roared STOP maybe you meant to say minnie? STOP

Gary Kenney
Blairhampton

Clement Lake aid

To the Editor:

We have noted your story on page one of the December 1, 1982 issue on the Clement Lake Development issue, Monmouth Township.

If representatives of Clement Lake will contact the Federation of Ontario Cottagers' Associations Incorporated, Suite 105, 215 Morrish Road, West Hill, Ontario, M1C 1E9, telephone (416) 284-2305, we may be able to help.

Thank you.

Yours truly,
J.G. Strickland,
President

Tournament excellent

To the Editor:

The town of Haliburton should be extremely proud of the effort put into and the results of the recent Alcindon Carpenter Peewee Minor Hockey Tournament. The Tournament from the first minute to the last was a first-class affair. It was indeed a pleasure to come in contact with such friendly and helpful tournament officials, snack bar and arena staff, referees and local merchants.

We encountered nothing but top-notch people during our week-end in Haliburton.

The players of Fife Real Estate Bracebridge Peewees are certainly proud to be grand champions of such a first class tournament. Thank you Haliburton!

Your tournament is already on our list for next year!

Yours truly,

Coach Ron Webb
Coach Eric Faulkner
Manager Neil Bosehell
Trainer Dave Nonseworthy
and the Bracebridge Peewee players.

Notebook

Missed metaphor

I've received a mild rebuke from a letter-writer this week who objects to my referring to Dysart et al as a "mini-county." Certainly he's correct in saying no such thing exists in the province's Municipal Act.

My point was simply that Dysart is run like a mini-county -- with a ward system designed to provide representation from all parts of the municipality.

Each councillor can ensure that the interests of his or her ward are given an adequate hearing when legislation affecting the entire municipality is debated. It's the same idea as county council -- and hence my term "mini-county."

I would consider the municipalities of Anson, Hindon and Minden and Sherborne, McClintock and Livingstone to be in the same boat. The former has a good degree of representation from the outlying areas by virtue of the presence of councillors Burk (of Ingoldsby) and Kenney (from Blairhampton) as well as councillor Cummins from the village of Minden.

In the three counties I've worked in I have never come across a municipality that includes nine separate townships, although I've dealt with some that have three or four component townships before.

I certainly did not intend to imply that Dysart was somehow superior to any other municipality in the county, and if some have interpreted my remarks in that way I apologize.

Thanks, Santa

I'd never interviewed Santa Claus before last Wednesday night.

But then he was -- with Mrs. Claus, too. His beard was real (I resisted an urge to tug on it), and he needed no pillow under his coat. His long white hair was real -- it wasn't a wig -- and he spoke in a merry, Santa-like way.

He told me that there was, indeed, a certain magic about being Santa. There was the time that a little boy asked him for just one Christmas present -- his father. The father, it seemed, had been wrongly accused of a crime, and had been incarcerated.

Perhaps it was a fluke; some would say it was a mere coincidence. But the boy's father was released and met his son by the Christmas tree on the morning of December 25.

The boy is much older says Santa -- "but he still believes I'm the real Santa."

Take a bow, Santa -- you've earned it.

Feir Play

by Creighton Feir

It is only a matter of days now and we will be leaving the old year of 1982 and heading into a brand new year -- 1983. The time was never better than now to reflect on the many good and bad things that took place in 1982. Yes, during the past year there were many good things and bad things that hit the headlines in both the local and national newspapers. We all seemed to complain about a great many things and if we had just stopped and started to thinking we would realize that we have a great deal to be thankful for. Granted we sit around these days talking gloom and doom, about budgets and recessions and these are problems that don't seem to bring out the laughter in us. No, just the opposite, they are all quite depressing. But through it all just stop for a moment and think of all the millions of people in other countries who every day of their lives are faced with hardships, starvation, with practically no future to look forward to. We are fortunate enough to live here in Canada, have more than a great deal to be thankful for, but we feel that we must carry on criticising municipal, provincial and federal governments on every issue. There are many problems that the politicians in all levels of government would love to solve but they just can't seem to come up with the answers.

The Rotary Club of Haliburton announced this week that money in the amount of \$500 has been donated to Haliburton Minor Hockey for the purchase of sweaters. The Rotary Club also announced that next year's outgoing exchange student will be Cathy Wood, the daughter of Roger Wood.

It pays to advertise in the classified ad section, but sometimes deals are made before the ads ever hit the paper. A case in point occurred one day last week when Jeff Carpenter of Lochlin walked into the Echo office and asked me if I knew of anyone in Haliburton who had a house to rent. He said that he was getting married and needed the house as soon as possible. I told him that off hand I didn't know of any houses for rent at the present time. Jeff was no more out the door when Jack Roberts of Haliburton came in and asked me if I knew of anyone interested in renting a house. I told Jack this was his day and I had just the man for him. I got Terry (who works here at the Echo and who was just coming through the door) to wave Jeff down as he drove away in his truck. Jeff got the message, a deal was made, and Jack has rented his house. You can call it a coincidence or what have you but this is something that just doesn't happen every day.

Did you ever stop to realize just how many people are involved in minor hockey in Haliburton County. Just drop into the arenas at Minden, Wilberforce or Haliburton during the week or especially on Saturdays and you will see all the young players strutting their stuff in front of their coaches, parents and friends. The coaches, managers and referees are also there to perform their duties. Practically any night of the week and once again especially on Saturdays minor hockey teams are either hosting other teams in these three centres or they are on their way to play hockey with other teams in some other area. It's just great to see so many men and women give freely of their time to help these young players along.

Jack Fleming, one of the newest members in the Rotary Club of Haliburton, was the guest speaker at a recent meeting of the club. Jack filled the members in on his past business experience and also his present involvement with the Economic Development Committee (EDC). Jack offered the assistance of the EDC to any business in Haliburton County and at the same time asked for support in attracting new business to the county.

Be watching CKVR-TV Barrie this Wednesday night, which by the way is tonight (December 15) for a feature on the Nicholls family of West Guilford. The film was shot at the home of Mr and Mrs George Nicholls and at the arena in Haliburton. It will be aired between 5:30 pm and 6:00 pm during the news, weather and sports time slot. You won't want to miss seeing this film on the famous Nicholls hockey family. By the way, its good to see that Bernie Nicholls, who plays for the Los Angeles Kings in the National Hockey League, is back in action after suffering a knee injury. He picked up an assist in his first game back.

TOC ALPHA Inc, a youth program on alcohol and drug concerns, is having its 26th annual Christmas conference from December 27-30, 1982. This year, the conference will be held at the Skyline Hotel in Toronto. Last year several young people from the Haliburton United Church attended this conference. When they arrived home they were really excited about what went on there and brought their message back to the United Church congregation. "Taking on concerns about life, people and human achievement" is the meaning of the anagram, TOC ALPHA.

We are certainly glad to report that the heart operation - performed on Murray Austin of Haliburton on Monday, December 6 was a great success. I understand that he may be coming home this week.

And now here is a final note: to complete your Christmas tree fire safety program, use only lighting equipment bearing the Canadian Standards Association label of approval, and make sure every wire and socket is in proper working order.

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Pic of the Past

Our Pic of the Past this week takes us back several years but still we are sure that many of our readers will recognize these men in the above photo. Our thanks go out to Mirl MacDuff for submitting this photo showing six

men from Gooderham including five Madills and one MacDuff just sitting around the house taking it easy. From the left: Bert A Madill (deceased), Willie Madill, Jas Madill, Gordon Madill, Walter Madill and Walter MacDuff.

From the Chamber

by Bob Stinson

Publicity for the Highlands

At the Chamber's last board of directors meeting a good deal of discussion was aimed at correcting the lack of publicity given to our area by the broadcast media. The weather reports, and the subsequent coming events reports being prepared by Elgin Stouffer for the Chamber are a case in point. While CKLY in Lindsay has greeted the program with enthusiasm, and has made good use of it, it has been given little air time on some of the other stations we had hoped would make use of it. Stations in Barrie and Peterborough, although they are received here, seem to feel they owe little of their support to our region.

As a result of those discussions some correspondence has been going out to those concerned. CHAY-FM and the *Toronto Star* are two of them. The *Toronto Star* received a letter in connection with a special edition of their travel section, which in reporting on ski areas throughout the province totally ignored Haliburton. CHAY received correspondence for their general lack of coverage. We will be advising you of any response we may receive here in this column. In the meantime, as one of our directors put it, we should certainly be thinking, throughout the community, of who is supporting us when we consider where we are going to place our advertising dollars.

One immediate reaction we did receive was from the CBC Radio Morning Show with host Allan Miller. They have been doing a series of interviews with ski resorts and as a result of our approach to them the Haliburton Highlands will be featured on this Friday, December 17 with yours truly providing the information. They want to specifically talk about our cross country facilities, but we will also be reminding them of our alpine challenges as well.

Ontario Chamber meets with Cabinet

On December 8 the Ontario Chamber of Commerce met with the Premier and executive council to present our "Program for Economic Recovery." The presentation was based on a return to the fundamental principles of a free-enterprise economy. The document suggested that the government:

- stop bailing out corporations which are failing to meet the challenges of the marketplace.
- assist the private sector by declaring a moratorium on new regulations on business and abolishing or reducing the minimum wage to encourage better performance.
- encourage investment in rental properties, and

thus boost the construction industry, by getting out of rent controls.

- de-regulate agriculture to improve competitiveness of Ontario products.
- demonstrate fiscal responsibility by selling its investments in Suncor and Trillium.
- reduce soaring health costs by introducing some form of user fees or other deterrents.

The Ontario Chamber is very concerned that in spite of the potential of our country and our province we are responding so poorly. Canada presently has the lowest productivity growth of any industrialized nation -- and Ontario is the heart of the Canadian manufacturing industry.

Treasurer Frank Miller responded to the presentation by saying that although he agreed, in principle, with much of what the report was saying, as a politician he didn't feel he could live with many of the recommendations.

He's probably right. To do what needs to be done to restore the economy, and confidence in it would require more political risk than any of our elected representatives are prepared to take. It's a sad commentary.

No simple solutions to water levels

Any system that is as reliant on the co-operation of "Mother Nature" as our reservoir system is, is bound to run into severe difficulty at times. Having sat on the Haliburton County Water Level Committee for a number of years we have become very aware of just how difficult it is to keep the entire system in balance and how extreme weather conditions can create such major problems as those in Minden are presently faced with.

The Gull River is the "bottle neck" in the system and when there is an abundance of water to get rid of it becomes filled to overflowing. When, in the other hand, water is being retained in the reservoir lakes the river becomes shallow to the other extreme.

Add to this the fact that the Trent people have become aware of the importance of getting the lakes drawn down before the fish lay their eggs in order to maintain the fisheries and you begin to understand their dilemma.

The reservoir system needs major re-engineering to make it work better -- and even then it wouldn't be to everyone's satisfaction. It needs a "buffer reservoir" to handle some extreme situations. All of this would take far more money than can be found in today's economy, but there is a possibility in the future that some of these problems can be reduced or eliminated.

Bill Kitchen and his staff are doing the best that they can with the system they have to work with.

Report from Parliament

by Bill Scott, MP

It is increasingly evident in Parliament that our nation is changing. The federal government is spending millions buying BP and FINA, and at the same time introducing legislation designed to halt the indexing of family allowances, old age security pensions and public service pensions. Clearly, they are changing their priorities to a "Survival of the Fittest" policy, at a time when recent statistics show that there are fewer of us that fall in the "Fittest" category.

There are now 700,000 fewer Canadians under 20 than there were 10 years ago - 800,000 more are over the age of 60 than 10 years ago. What the government is doing, despite strong objections from opposition parliamentarians, will impose undue hardship on those who built what we have today.

The Senate committee on poverty has stated that they considered the poverty level for a family of two in 1981 was \$12,300. A couple, who have reached the age when they are relying on old age security payments, receive \$246.92 or \$5,924 per

year. If that is their only income, they can get another \$4,487 as a guaranteed income supplement. This couple would have a total income of \$10,511. This is almost two thousand dollars below the poverty line.

Now, this new legislation will not allow these payments to increase with the cost of living. Similarly, families with incomes under the poverty level can now never hope to meet expenses with a family allowance cheque which is not keeping up with the cost of living.

The experience in Canada has been that the poverty line level has tripled between 1971 and 1981. If that is the case, the effect of these bills will be to segregate our elderly and our low income earners and ensure they never are allowed to better themselves.

This scenario was brought to the attention of the House of Commons, when the bills were passed, by Don Munro, a Progressive Conservative member from Victoria, British Columbia, but to no avail.

Queen's Park

by John Eakins, MPP

Victoria-Haliburton is one riding which has been selected by the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing to participate in an information program. The aim is to distribute a series of "Do it Yourself" energy conservation pamphlets to home-owners through hardware stores, building supply outlets and various non-retail outlets such as building permit offices and real estate offices.

The aim is to improve the energy efficiency of the average Ontario household by 30 per cent by 1995. A wide range of projects are being undertaken to encourage the residential sector to meet this goal. Informing homeowners of energy conservation is an important first step. When constituents have had an opportunity to review these pamphlets, I would be pleased to have comment or further suggestions.

Youth Unemployment

In spite of sky-rocketing youth unemployment, the provincial government's spending on jobs for young Ontarians has actually fallen in real terms over the past four years. In that period, increases in government spending on youth unemployment programs have declined more than 16 per cent behind the inflation rate. Some 142,000 people in Ontario between the ages of 15 and 24 were out of work in the 1979 to 1980 period - 50,000 fewer than today. Bringing these facts to the attention of the legislature, Liberal leader David Peterson stated the government would need to invest another \$41 million on jobs for the young in order to bring spending up to previous levels. In fact, the government has budgeted to spend some \$90 million this year on job programs for young

people, and the sum would be almost \$109 million if spending had kept even with inflationary increases.

Ontario Place

The \$400,000 construction contract for Future Pod at Ontario Place was raised in the Legislature by Liberal Pat Reid of Rainy River (Chairman of the public accounts committee). He charged that the contract was thrown to a Tory company because of patronage, and that "they were throwing a few more tidbits to their friends."

In his annual report, the provincial auditor had criticized Ontario Place, and the responsible Ministry of Tourism and Recreation, for letting the Future Pod contracts without competitive bidding last spring, a practice which violated the government's manual of administration. By-passing the bidding process, the acting deputy minister had approved an exemption on the grounds that the contract was mainly "technical consulting services," although the Auditor noted that, except for \$90,000, the contract was for construction, in connection with which no exemption is permitted by the government's own regulations.

The acting deputy minister had approved giving the contract to Display Service Co. Ltd., an affiliate of the well-known Conservative agency, Foster Advertising Ltd. of Toronto.

Questioned further on this question, the minister told the House that he is planning \$300,000 in improvements to Future Pod for next summer, and that "there will be plenty of competitive bidding."



Little Russell Newson of Lochlin gets a nice spoonful of ice cream from his mom, Phyllis Newson. The

toddler enjoyed the Snowdon Supporter's Christmas party in Gelert Sunday.

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Huskies finally win

Well, they finally did it... the Huskies won a Junior "D" hockey match.

The victory came Saturday night before a vocal crowd of Huskies supporters. The home town team, with a line-up filled in with young Minden players, led from start to finish in a game that was not without some controversy.

Haliburton 5, Huntsville 3

The Huskies looked very impressive in the early going. They were forechecking Huntsville like demons, keeping the visitors' dangerous Raney - Eeles - Pinkerton line off the puck.

At the 2:51 mark Butch Manary blasted a low drive past a surprised Bill Dubois to give Haliburton a 1-0 lead. Brent Moxam and Kelly Mitchell got assists on the goal.

Moxam scored the second goal for the Huskies on a powerplay. Haliburton had been buzzing around Dubois, enjoying a two-man advantage. Just ten seconds after Don Monahan returned to the ice (leaving Dave Raney in the box) Moxam picked up a rebound in the slot and scorched one past the Huntsville netminder. It was 2-0.

Assists on the second goal went to Scott Rae and Butch Manary.

Huntsville came right back to score just 38 seconds later. The speedy Eeles took a lead pass from John Raney, wheeled around two Haliburton defenders, and put the puck high past Duane Lennie.

The period ended 2-1, and the Huskies had outshot Huntsville 11-5.

With Eeles in the box, along with Raney, the Huskies were able to score their third on a powerplay. Rob Abbs jumped onto the ice

after serving his penalty, took a pass from Butch Manary, and propelled Haliburton into a 3-1 lead. Kevin Warburton assisted on the play.

Huntsville peppered Duane Lennie throughout the period, firing 19 shots at him -- but the stand-up goalie made a half dozen game-saving stops. Scott Rae scored at the 7:00 mark to put the Huskies up 4-1. Butch Manary got an assist, as did Mike MacNaull.

Troy Austen's minor had just expired when Mark Yarranton beat Lennie on the stick side. And as the goal was scored (see picture) Kevin Warburton was speared in the corner.

siderable pressure, Kevin Pinkerton beat Lennie with help from Scott Gemmill. It was now 4-3.

But the Huskies seemed to have been saving their strength for the third. The hustle and forechecking that had wiped out Huntsville returned, and the Huskies were able to easily kill off three consecutive Huntsville powerplays -- the last coming with just over three minutes to go.

With less than a minute to go Dubois skated to the Huntsville bench, and six attackers bore down on Lennie, looking for the equalizer. But the excellent Huskies defence wouldn't let them get near the goaltender.

Only 12 Huskies took to the ice, and of that total four were affiliated players (juvenile or midget age).

During the game Kevin Warburton was charged by an Essa defenceman after avoiding a savage check from a forward. He spent two hours in hospital, being treated for rib injuries, and will be lost to the club for several weeks.

Ironically, Warburton had scored in the first period, from Mike Rae. Kevin Shapiera's unassisted goal was the only other damage done for the Huskies.

For Essa:

First Period

- 4:00 Darrel Vincent from John Adams and Kent Moore
- 4:34 Rob Roy from Dave Scott
- 9:42 Moore from Tim McIntyre
- 19:00 Karam Kennedy from Rob Elrick and McIntyre
- 19:20 McIntyre from Adams

Second Period

- 2:52 Reg Kenwell from Vincent
- 6:24 Scott from Roy and Moore
- 11:22 Vincent from Kenwell
- 14:15 Kenwell from Vincent and Sean Garrigan
- 19:23 Tom McIntyre from Roy and Scott
- 19:38 Moore from Roy and Chris Sturgess

Third Period

- 2:43 Elrick from Kennedy and McIntyre
- 4:36 Garrigan from Georgis and Vincent
- 5:35 Roy from Scott
- 19:07 McIntyre from Kennedy and Elrick.

Coach Gary Warburton left the game to take his son to hospital.

Young Minden league players aid in 5-3 victory over Huntsville Saturday

Coach Gary Warburton practiced a little Highlands discipline on the offending Huntsville player -- who returned to the bench bragging about how he'd "got" Warburton. A nasty altercation ensued as captain Andy Atkinson of Huntsville leapt to the ice, screaming for some kind of bench penalty.

Warburton managed to get up after a while and make it to the dressing room, and rejoined his mates in the third.

The incident seemed to psyche out the Huskies -- they slowed down considerably, and only Lennie's hot goaltending kept them in the lead.

In the third, after con-

With less than ten seconds to go MacNaull fed a pass to Warburton, who cleared the puck to Scott Rae. Rae looked once...then twice...and found the empty net with a long, low shot.

Shots on goal at the end of the game: Haliburton 32, Huntsville 33.

Essa 15, Haliburton 2

To say the Huskies have had luck on the road would be an understatement. Because of the late hours involved (the team got back at about 2:00 am) some of the younger players who had fared so well Saturday (Up-ton, MacNaull, and Kelly Mitchell) did not make the trip.



Scott Rae (right) is about to stuff a rebound past Huntsville netminder Bill Dubois to put the Huskies up by 4-1. The Huskies led from wire to wire Saturday

night for their first win of the season. Rae added an empty net goal with five seconds to go.

Haliburton Lumber shocks Curry's

In a stunning upset victory an understaffed Haliburton Lumber team drubbed Industrial League leaders Curry Motors 8-4 in Monday night action at the Dysart arena.

The Curry Motors loss, coupled with a 14-2 thrashing given out by Emmerson's to Bishop and Wilson, creates a tie for first place in the league, with Haliburton Lumber alone in second.

Emmerson Lumber 14, Bishop and Wilson 2

Bishop and Wilson opened the scoring at 6:03 of the first, as Paul Howe scored from Bev Billings. Gary Brohman's goal at 13:26 tied the game (Dean Curry and Bill Irvine got assists) and an unassisted marker for Brohman with only 53 seconds left in the first made it 2-1.

In the second period Emmerson's got five to B and W's one. Sheldon Nicholls (from Joe Roberts and Curry) made it 3-1 before Billings replied for B and W, from Steve Cooper.

Then, the roof fell in. Twelve straight goals by Emmerson's propelled them into a tie for first -- and they have now scored the most goals of any club this year (54) and have allowed the least (30 -- tied with Curry's).

Scoring for Emmerson's were: Roberts, from Morissette and Schell

- Roberts from Schell
- Cook from Roberts and Hodgson
- Morissette from Brohman and McPhail
- Cook from Fitzgerald and Irvine
- Schell from Roberts and Walker
- Curry from Brohman and Fitzgerald
- Roberts from Cook and Hodgson
- Morissette from Hodgson and Walker
- Roberts from Fitzgerald

in the nightcap when they beat Curry Motors 8-4 -- but Curry's came back once, only to drop back for good near the end of the game.

With only nine skaters to the 15 of Curry's it looked like Haliburton Lumber was going to attend their own funeral and be buried alive by Curry's.

However, excellent goaltending by John Bitman and Steve Kirkpatrick in the first kept the score very close. Roger Bain started things

night from Mulholland and Woodcock. The Barry goal came at the 7:50 mark.

With 6:15 to go Woodcock scored from Pete Lymburner and Derwin Barry -- and it was 5-2 for Haliburton Lumber.

But Curry's came right back. With 5:07 left Brian Black scored from Steve Roberts and John Robinson, and Roberts scored at the 17:43 mark from Robinson and Kevin Sisson.

The action sailed from end to end in the third, with both Bitman and Kirkpatrick making clutching saves at both ends. But the constant waves of Haliburton Lumber forwards finally got to Curry's. Roger Bain's blast to the top left corner provided an insurance goal for Haliburton Lumber. Woodcock and Steve Barker got assists on the play, which came at the 5:25 mark.

With 2:19 to go Derwin Barry scored from Woodcock, and then added his second of the night (from Burtch and Lymburner) with 1:34 to go.

No one who has followed Industrial League action this year could believe it. It was the persistent work of Woodcock, who figured on all but one of the eight Haliburton Lumber scoring plays, that brought the win home.

Woodcock, Bitman excellent

- Brohman from Curry and Fitzgerald
- Roberts from Curry
- Cook from Roberts and Irvine

Joe Roberts. Five goals, four assists. Let that sink in. Has Gretzky come to Haliburton?

Let's not play down the hat tricks of Gary Brohman (three goals, one assist) and Scott Cook (three goals, one assist) or the five point night of Dean Curry (one goal, four assists). Almost every Emmerson's player got in the act.

Haliburton Lumber 8, Curry Motors 4

Haliburton Lumber pulled the biggest upset of the year

off at the 12:01 mark, with help from Bob Woodcock.

Then, with just 48 seconds showing on the clock, Jim Burk scored from Carey and Greber to make it 1-1.

HL got things going early in the second. Phil Barry scored from Woodcock and Brian Mulholland at the 53 second mark. Curry's tied it at 4:59 when Jim Winn scored, from Burk and Carey.

Then, three quick ones for Haliburton Lumber. At 7:39 Woodcock scored from Mulholland and Bain. Then Barry got his second of the



A sprawling John Bitman is helped out by defenceman Ken Riley in smothering a loose puck. Bitman

and Bob Woodcock led Haliburton Lumber to an 8-4 upset win over Curry's.

Pee Wee II's are still unbeaten on season

Friday night, December 10 was the scene for the two Haliburton House League Pee Wee teams to confront each other for the second time in less than two weeks.

The Pee Wee II's were to take an early lead at the 8:29 mark from a wicked blast from the point by Ray Gervais assisted by Jeff Smith.

Then again at 6:56 from Scott McKee assisted by

Darren Warburton and Jeff Emmerson. The HeadNuts were to put on the pressure, but only excellent goaltending by Sean Billings kept them off the scoreboard.

At 1:35 McKee was to score his second set up by Charlie Franklin. First period ended 3-0.

In the second the II's were to score at 8:08 when Gervais got his second of the night

also from the point assisted by Emmerson and Roland Greber.

The period ended 4-0. In the third the HeadNuts continued to attack but great defensive team work by the II's held them scoreless. With only 46 seconds left in the game Warburton was to dig the puck out of the corner and feed Emmerson in the slot area. He was to

make no mistake and the final score was Pee Wee II's 5, HeadNuts 0.

The II's are unbeaten so far this season having outscored their opposition 58-11.

The II's played this game without their leading point getter Ben Packard who missed the game with a concussion.



Kelly Mitchell muscled Huntsville's Scott Gemmill out of the slot as goalie Bill Dubois watches a Butch Manary drive sail past him into the net. Kevin

Warburton skates past, looking for a rebound that never came. Huskies won the game 5-3 -- their first win of the season.

MEN'S INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE STANDINGS

[To December 6, 1982]

	G.P.	W	L	G.F.	G.A.	Pts.
Curry Motors	5	4	1	41	22	8
Emmerson Lumber	5	3	2	40	28	6
Haliburton Lumber	5	2	3	30	45	4
Bishop and Wilson	5	1	4	37	53	2

Scoring Leaders

	G.P.	G	A	Pts.
S Cooper - Bishop and Wilson	5	12	5	17
S Roberts - Curry Motors	5	10	7	17
L Bull - Bishop and Wilson	5	6	11	17
J Roberts - Emmerson Lumber	5	11	5	16
T Curry - Curry Motors	5	9	7	16

GOALIE AVERAGES

	G.P.	G.A.	Avg.
S Kirkpatrick - Curry M. & Emm. L.	6	27	4.50
L Hartin - Emmerson Lumber	4	23	5.75
J Bitman - Haliburton Lumber	4	40	10.00
G Schmid - Bishop and Wilson	4	40	10.00
W Ellison, Hal. L. & B and W	2	18	9.00

Last Week's Scores - December 6, 1982

Curry Motors 11 vs Bishop and Wilson 4
Emmerson Lumber 13 vs Haliburton Lumber 5

Player of the Week

Tom Curry - three goals and two assists - five points.
Stats compiled by Bob Nichols

Santa's magic

It's magic being Santa Claus -- why, just ask him.

Santa and Mrs Claus (and their "special helpers" Jim and Eleanor Chambers) were in Haliburton last week, and made a surprise visit to a girl guide's meeting at St George's Anglican Church.

He's been around the area since back in the early seventies, when he made his first appearance at a county fair up in Orillia. There's no fake beard or padded tummy for this Santa -- he's a cut above your typical shopping mall St Nick.

"Yes, it's all me," he says, patting his big belly and running fingers through his thick white beard. He's got a jolly disposition -- even though he and Mrs Claus are "booked solid until Christmas eve," and will appear in Bracebridge, Toronto, and Barrie, to name but a few places.

"The children like to poke my belly and pull my beard," he said. On one occasion, at a shopping mall, one little girl tugged his beard so hard Santa "was brought to my knees by the pain."

"She said 'you've got to be the real Santa,' which helped a bit," said Santa ruefully, stroking his beard at the memory. "You've got to love children... if you don't love them, if you can't stand the little ones climbing all over you, you shouldn't be trying to be Santa," he said.

Mrs Claus says that sometimes that little ones can be very shy, and are a bit in awe of the big man in his bright red suit. "Sometimes they'll come to me first, since they're used to their mothers," she said with a smile. The most difficult cases to

handle are the "terrible twos," who are unpredictable.

"You don't know what they're going to do next," laughed Santa. One little girl asked him a Christmas riddle.

"Why does Santa enjoy his garden," she asked... well, because he likes to hoe hoe hoe."

"A little boy from Trinidad hopped onto my lap once and said 'give me five, Santa,'" he added.

Magic moments

But it's not all just hard work. There are the moments that make it worthwhile, and keep Santa coming back year after year.

One little girl climbed onto Santa's knee on a "dull, cold, snowing day," recalled Santa.

"Parents were arguing, kids were screaming, everyone was pretty upset." It was a dismal day indeed...until the little girl looked Santa in the eye and spoke.

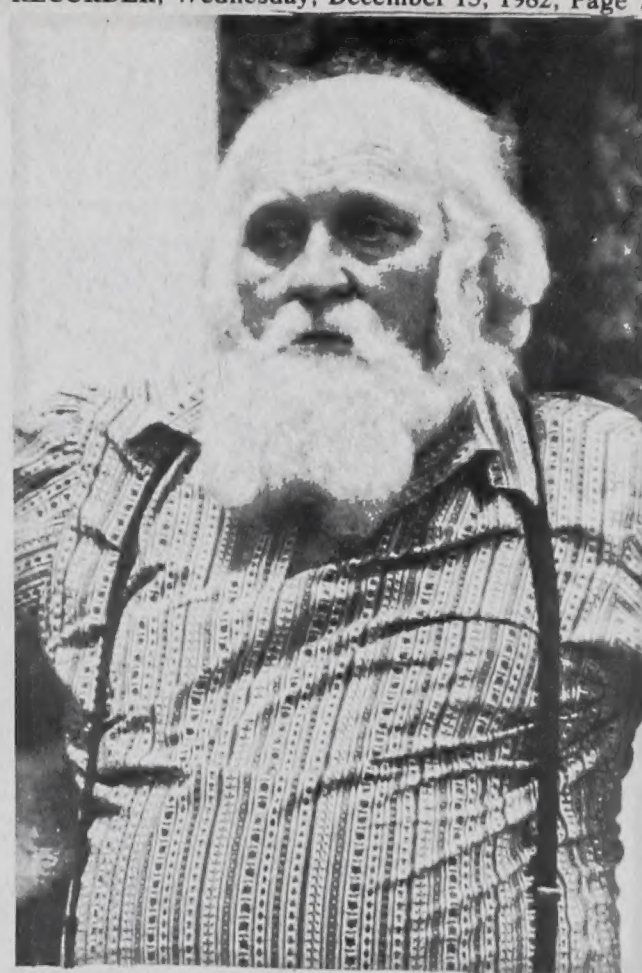
She told him that "next to God Santa brings the most love to children." That moment made Santa's year -- "it made everything else fade away," he said.

"Her parents were surprised...they didn't know why their daughter said that, or where she'd got the idea," added Mrs Claus.

"We get a lot of questions from the kids...questions we can't answer...so I tell them my boss is the man upstairs," said Santa.

"If they ask us for too many things, we tell them that a lot of children around the world want things too," said Mrs Claus.

One little boy at a county



Santa Claus and his wife, Mrs Claus, made it to last week's enrollment ceremony for Haliburton girl guides. Here Santa watches intently as the new guides are sworn in.

fair had a simple request -- "all I want is my daddy," he told Santa. His dad was "away," explained Santa,

and had been accused of doing something he hadn't. Was it coincidence that the man's lawyer suddenly came up with some evidence that freed his client -- just in time for Christmas?

"I think there's a bit of magic to it," said Santa. To this day the boy "believes I am the real Santa."

Santa said he would welcome letters addressed to his

"summer residence," care of Santa's Village, Bracebridge, Ontario, L3V 5J4.

Santa's "special helpers" Jim and Eleanor Chambers have relatives in the area. There's Mike and Lynne Micallef of Pine Street in Haliburton, and family Wendy, John, Marie and Laurie.

They also said hello to relatives Beth Emmerson of Minden, and Jim and Nancy Watson of Tory Hill, and their children.



After an end to end rush Roger Bain snaps a high wrist shot past Curry netminder Steve Kirkpatrick.

Haliburton Lumber surprised Curry's 8-4 Monday night.

Novice Blues shut out Novice White 3-0

On Saturday, December 11 the Haliburton Novice Blues defeated the Haliburton Novice White 3-0.

The opening period was totally dominated by the White team because of good forechecking by Jamie Stouffer, Mathew Brydon, Derek Wilson and Peter Buckley.

The defence of Scott O'Neil, Jeff Black and Jason

Parish kept the puck in the Blue's end, resulting in excellent scoring chances for Chris Greenfield and Greg Sutherland.

The reason for the score being 0-0 at the end of the first period was solid goaltending by Blues' goalie Brett Jackson.

In the second period Greg Stamp picked up a loose puck

after it was cleared by Blues defence Todd Hargreaves and Colin Sisson and scored on White's goalie Reed Elstone.

Jason Casey scored the second Blues goal in a goal mouth scramble with Jordan Howard and Mathew William assisting.

The third period was close checking with few scoring

chances. Good defensive work at the Whites' blue line resulted in Greg Brohman scoring from the slot with Chad Bain and Greg Stamp assisting.

The next Novice White team game is December 18 in Wilberforce at 12:00 am.

The next Novice Blue team game is December 18 in Haliburton at 11:00 against Bancroft.

Minden Peewees and Juveniles continue to shine in league action

The annual bantam minor hockey tournament was held over the week-end.

The team from Minden lost out in the consolation semi-finals to Beaverton. Beaverton went on to win the consolation final.

Tournament scores
Fenelon Falls 10, Minden 1.

First: Minden - John Balandyne from Tom MacLeod, Fenelon Falls scored three goals.

Second: Fenelon Falls scored four goals.

Third: Fenelon Falls scored three goals.
Beaverton 5, vs Minden 1.

First: Beaverton scored.

Second: Beaverton scored three goals.
Third: Glenn Hall from Daryl Ward, Beaverton scored once more.

The Floyd Hie Memorial Trophy donated by Shirley and Carl Hie was presented to Oshawa, the overall champions. The Gord Monk

consolation trophy went to Beaverton.

Novice
In Minden December 7 Gravenhurst beat Minden 9-0.

In Gravenhurst December 12 Gravenhurst topped Minden 11-0.

The Novice team had some

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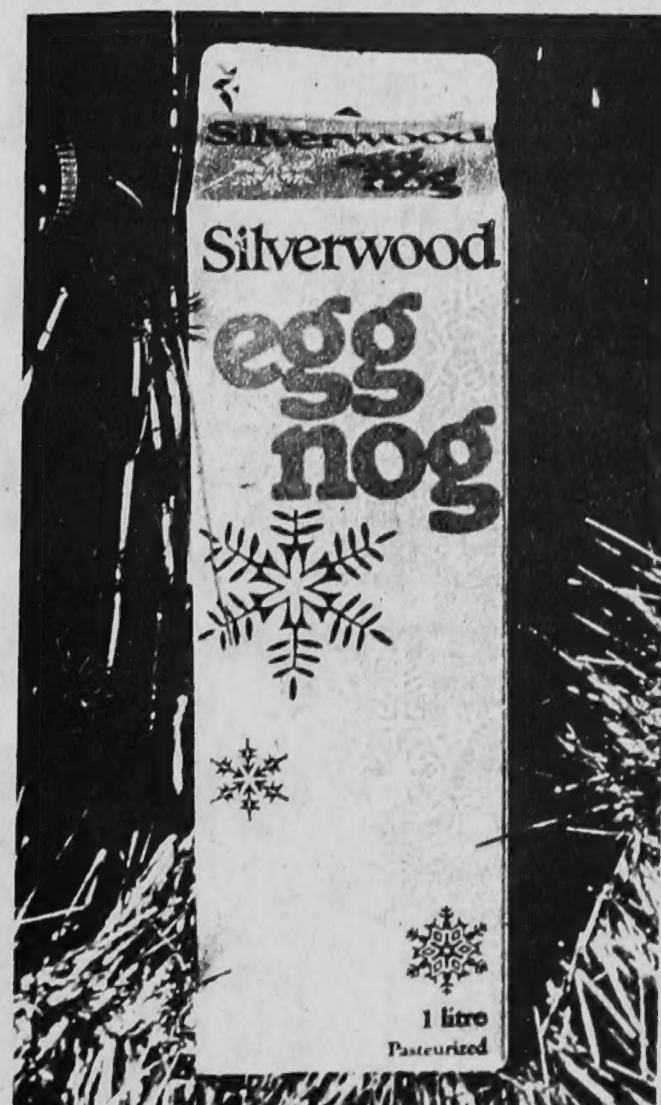
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Nurse-administrator Marlene Bennett of the Haliburton Red Cross Hospital (left) looks on as hospital auxiliary president Glenna Beckham accepts a \$500

cheque from president Les Hughes of the Haliburton Senior Citizen's Club. The money will be put towards an automatic blood pressure monitor.

Credit bureaus must yield personal data

by LEOPOLDINA DOBRZENSKY
Hal. County Information and Referral Centre

Question: I have been refused credit because of an unfavorable report by an investigative agency. I believe that the information used was inaccurate. Can I see my file and correct this information?

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Firewood cutting "myths" don't stack up

by RON REID
Federation of Ontario Naturalists

Now that the nip of December is in the air, and the crispy remnant of fallen leaves are fast disappearing beneath new-white snow, the crackle of fire in the hearth takes on an added attraction.

Fueling the hearth can mean hours of toil in "getting up the wood" assuming, of course, that you are one of those who believe that "real

men" don't buy their firewood. Now an American researcher, who has obviously spent more than a few sweaty hours on the end of an axe, has published his expose on six myths about splitting wood in the most recent issue of American Forests.

Myth number one is to split from the bottom, not from the top, of your bolt of wood. After splitting carefully matched pieces both

ways, researcher David Tresemmer concludes that the average time difference is 1/100th of a second. In other words, it makes no difference. But Myth number two was upheld - it is indeed more efficient to split wood along the check lines that appear after a few weeks' seasoning. Myth number three holds that frozen green wood splits easiest, but this test proved true only when the pieces were straight-

grained. Since knotty wood on average splits better when thawed, the author suggested that you are better to tackle the typical mixed woodpile.

The fourth myth instructs woodsmen to season firewood for one year, or better for two. In fact, the length of seasoning required to dry hardwood to the 20 per cent moisture range considered ideal for burning depends on the time of cutting.

Senior League

Bert Harrison

A letter from Mrs Santa saying Santa's doing fine, that he will be able to make it at Christmas time.

Reverend Burgess, the past two Sunday nights has been speaking on the events leading up to the Virgin birth, the most wonderful thing that had happened in this old earth.

While Mrs Thompson is away, Agnes Taylor comes to play, and doesn't let us down. We hope some day that she will wear a nice golden crown.

Linda showed us three movies Monday afternoon, instead of Monday night. "Cry of the Marsh," "Sir Basil Spencer," and "Olympic Legacy." They were really good to see.

Tuesday morning Reverend Elliott of Minden Anglican Church held a nice communion service in the chapel, this seventh day of December. Our girls came to sing and play. They always remember.

They also stayed and had lunch with my wife, and I

before they went away.

We just learned of the passing of Mrs Plumb -- our deepest sympathy to the relatives and friends.

Tuesday night Earl Cooper and Kathy Owens came. They were a little late, but the music they entertained us with was simply great. Earl played the fiddle and mandolin, Kathy played the accordion, and sang some good old hymns.

We held our Christmas concert here on Wednesday night. Fred Ballard played the music, Bill Payne was MC. They did the job just right. The first item on the program was acted by Edith, Lola, Bert, and Ted.

It was the chicken dance, I heard someone say "that guy has lost his pants."

Our apologies to those who thought it was vulgar.

The next was "Up and Down" by the activities staff. Then they were "hypnotized" by the office staff.

Then the "Hyland Crest Cloggers" did a square

dance with Doris the caller, said if you want to take a chance, turn your partner round and round, then kick him in the pants.

Next was "Nothing for Christmas," sung by our own Doris. A Christmas play by the kitchen staff, now this was something that caused a big laugh. Then "The Lady and the Tramp," a pantomime by the Robertson sisters, acted really fine.

Then came "One on the way" by activities, house-keeping and nursing.

Then the Nativity scene put on by the nursing team. They had a real baby - it seemed like a dream. Then Santa came, the dear old soul, he wasn't one bit shy, gave the girls a little kiss as he was going by.

Now our girls work hard for days to make this concert a success for us. I am sure they were truly blessed. Everyone did their parts so well and did it with a smile.

After all, isn't this what

makes life worthwhile.

Thursday afternoon the Ladies Orange Benevolent Association served a lovely lunch that day. Left us a cheque for \$50 before they went away. Wasn't that a nice thing to do? We say a big thank you.

Friday afternoon Grace and Norma came and stayed until after three. We sang some Christmas carols. Grace read some poems, "Choir Boy" and "A nice cup of tea."

St George's Anglican church Junior and Senior choirs from Haliburton came down to Hyland Crest, entertained us royally, and was our special guest.

They played and sang so lovely, it really was quite fine. We thank them for coming and giving of their time.

We never knew how very much

A bit of love can do, And as we cheer another's heart,

Our own gets lighter too.

Academy Theatre elects Gwen McFadden

At the first meeting of the board of directors of the Academy Theatre Foundation, following the 1982 annual meeting, Gwen McFadden, former president of the Academy Theatre Women's Guild was unanimously elected to head the Academy Theatre for the forthcoming year.

Succeeding Stewart Stainton who has held the office for the past two years, McFadden thanked the directors for their confidence and promised considerable development for the Academy in 1983.

Jim Brown, former director of Music for the Victoria County Board of Education, and director of Lindsay's 125th birthday celebrations, was elected vice-president.

The Academy Directors also decided, regretfully, not to purchase the Karl Illini drawing of the Old Mill as suggested at the annual meeting. The work was offered to the Academy for sixteen hundred dollars and requests were made for donations, so that it might hang in the Theatre.

However, there was a time limit, and not enough

donations were forthcoming, and so Karl Illini's work will go to Toronto to an art gallery for exhibition and sale.

Mrs. McFadden pointed out that the Academy is still attempting to raise money to bring its endowment fund to its original target of \$100,000. The fund is locked away, and the interest is used each year to help pay for the necessary administration of the Theatre.

The endowment fund, started several years ago by the late Dr. William Service,

then president of the Academy, is within \$9,000 of its original goal. McFadden expressed the board of directors' hopes that it will be completed in 1983.

"In the meantime" she said, "much as we would like to include the Illini work with those which we already have in the Theatre, the endowment fund must remain as our priority." Donations to the Academy Theatre Endowment Fund are income tax deductible, and information on donations can be obtained from the manager of the Academy Theatre.

Temperature variation still causing lake problems

The alternately cold and warm weather experienced in the Highlands continues to pose problems on local lakes.

Water levels on Twelve Mile Lake, Horseshoe Lake, Drag Lake and Lake Kashagawigamog continue to be well above their normal level for this time of year, and property owners are begin-

ning to worry about possible ice damage to their docks.

Water levels were abnormally high last week because of a December thaw -- but

The system's dams are wide open in the south, he pointed out, and it's up to the weather to affect change here. The ideal temperature

porting ice around their docks, and are afraid their docks might get torn out," said Bruce Kitchen of the

Not much can be done

when the mercury dropped over the week-end the lakes began to freeze up.

to allow water to go down would be between -10 and -5 degrees fahrenheit, he said.

Trent-Severn waterway system. However, despite high lake level readings Kitchen said there is really very little that can be done to lower lake levels.

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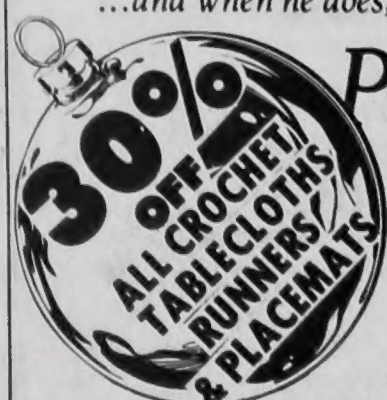
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Little Theatre blends wit, whimsy

by MARTIN BIEFER
Echo Editor

The Highlands Little Theatre had been hoping for a blend of wit and whimsy in their fall production -- a play that would appeal to both the young and old.

The company staged their production of *The Savage Dilemma* last week -- and judging by the enthusiasm (two curtain calls Friday night) of the large crowd the troupe certainly found the combination they had been striving for.

The company took a somewhat thin script and transformed it into a rollicking, witty comedy -- with touches of Monty Python-like slapstick humor.

A refuge for the rational

The play begins within "The Cloisters," a once-thriving mental institution that has fallen on hard times.

The play is set in the mid-sixties, before a background of "dope pushers," flower children and student protest. But our central characters are "lifers" in a mental institution in Massachusetts, and are immune to current events around them.

As Dr Emmett (Curtis Eastmure) and nurse Christine (Sandy Willis) wring their hands woefully over the impending bankruptcy of the institution we are introduced to the delightfully mad -- yet lovable -- residents of The Cloisters.

The maddest of all is Mrs Paddy, very convincingly played by Betty Perugino, who leaps into random venomous denunciations of the things she hates at the drop of a hat. Throughout the rest of the play she is constantly painting with angry, erratic brush strokes.

Then there's the aloof Annabelle -- who believes her classical violin performance can have audiences weeping. Instead, the moment her bow touches the instrument we are treated to the sound of cats being strangled. She is austere, cosmopolitan, and embodies all the attributes of the long-suffering artist. Marianne Helsby's performance is suitably aristocratic.

Florence is a perfectly normal young mother. One wonders why she is even within the confines of the Cloisters...until we notice that her young son, who she talks to throughout the performance, doesn't exist. At least, not to us -- although the door opens and closes when he leaves the stage.

Lynn Graham's performance of the kindly Florence is very well-handled and subtle. Had she overplayed the part it might have detracted from the plot, but Florence is a soft, steady presence throughout the plot.

And finally, there's Fairy

is captured in a strong performance by Heather Scully. Fairy May is constantly active, penning more than a novel a day, planting bananas in the garden, and exhibiting wild-eyed innocence at all around her.

Things are stagnating within the institution (indeed, as Dr Emmett points out, time doesn't pass at The Cloisters) when Mrs Savage drops in unexpectedly, sans baggage after a trip to Russia.

Caryl Douglas' abilities must be mentioned here. She is indeed the focal point of the company, and possesses a keen sense of timing, shows excellent projection in her voice, and in general makes the play more believable. As soon as she appears on stage things begin to roll.

After arriving back at the Cloisters, penniless and without baggage, Savage and Dr Emmett are interrupted in mid-conversation by two marauding hippies (convincingly portrayed by Glen Carter and Brenda Ellis) hoping to rob the institution.

A dilemma

Mrs Savage hits on a unique scheme to make everyone profit -- the staged kidnapping of herself, and her subsequent ransoming off to the step-sons who had

her declared incompetent (thus depriving her of a vast fortune) earlier.

Activity becomes more and more frenzied as the denouement approaches. Dale McConnell's "what's all this, then" police office smacks of Python, as does the ludicrous way in which the ransom money is obtained, lost, found, lost and found again.

There's a happy ending, as the jaded hippies are advised to stop living in the material world and to work towards their dreams. The conclusion is an interesting one, as the apparent delusions of the inmates are done away with. Annabelle can play, Florence's son pops out from behind the sofa, and Fairy May's "banana tree" finally grows.

The ending, perhaps, has little significance in these troubled economic times, and is more a message for twenty years ago.

But the play was intended as a period piece, and is carried off very well by all involved.

Considering the very short period of time in which the play was selected, a cast selected, and props and costumes assembled, the entire company and crew are to be commended for staging such an entertaining play.



Caryl Douglas turned in an excellent performance as Mrs Savage, the eccentric widow, in last week's production of "The Savage Dilemma." The play was

put on by the Highlands Little Theatre, and attracted a large crowd to the HHSS gym. On Friday night the players received two standing ovations.

Christmas concert plans for Harcourt are shaping up

by CAROL BOLTON
Echo Staff Writer

Since mid-October, Donna Andrews of Harcourt has been thinking about Christmas -- and is now trying to bring those thoughts together in the form of a Christmas concert. The concert is to take place in the Harcourt

Community Centre on December 17 at 7:00 pm.

Entertainment will be provided by a variety of people from ages three to adult. Andrews says she is attempting to renew an old tradition.

Of course she is very grateful for the assistance of

many citizens especially Lorraine Hughey, Gloria McCormack, Marlene Main, Grace Maill, Dolores Packard, Cathy Packard, Susan Musclow and Carol Bradley who provides the musical background.

The project has received overwhelming community

support, she said. There is something for everyone in the evening's performance and to make the night complete, Santa is expected to pay a visit.

Finally, the price is right at 50 cents for adult admission and all children under 12 years admitted free.

A revised school year, announced last week by Education Minister Dr Bette Stephenson, eliminates November 11 as a school holiday and will require schools to hold Remembrance services on that day. The changes will come into effect September 1, 1983.

Dr Stephenson, in a statement to the Legislature, said that if Remembrance Day falls on a Saturday or Sunday, Remembrance Day services will be held in the schools on the preceding Friday. The change was recommended by the Royal Canadian Legion.

The school year will consist of 194 school days of which there will be a minimum of 185 instructional days. The March break has been moved ahead a week and will be the same week for all school boards. Easter Monday has also been fixed as a school holiday. Boards will no longer have the option to designate another day as a holiday in lieu of Easter Monday. The Christmas vacation will be two full weeks but school boards will still be able to opt for a Christmas vacation that varies in length from year to year.

Up to nine of the 194

school days may be designated as professional activity days and a number of them must be devoted to curriculum development implementation and review.

School boards will be required to evaluate activities undertaken on professional activity days.

HHGFA one of 345 organizations to receive Arts Council grant

The Haliburton Highlands Guild of Fine Arts was one of the 345 arts organizations and 549 individuals who received a total of \$2,148,399 for periodical publication.

The Guild received a total of \$1,751 from the Ontario Arts Council (OAC).

"Grants from \$1,000 to \$20,000 were awarded to assist periodicals with oper-

ating costs and in some cases, support towards marketing programs," said Donald McGibbon, chairman of the OAC.

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A delighted Janet Smith receives a hand shake from Mrs. Claus as she becomes a full-fledged girl guide.

The guides held their enrollment ceremony last week, with both Mr and Mrs Claus in notable attendance.

Dysart municipal council meeting is held

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Dysart municipal council, held in the council chambers, on Monday, December 6, 1982, commencing at 11:00 am.

Members present included: Murray Fearrey, Gary McKnight, Dorothy Baker, Lloyd Leadbeater, R. Glen Hodgson, Sidney Cooper, John Parish, Wayne B. Wood, clerk, Derrell B. Stamp, planning administrator, Howard Roberts, road superintendent.

The Clerk administered the oath of office to the reeve and members of council followed by the blessing by Rev John Smith. Reeve Fearrey then made a short address of welcome to council and in particular to the new members. Council then adjourned for lunch.

Larry Bailey of Sherwood Developments made a short presentation to council reference a proposed time-sharing development, fur-

ther meetings will be necessary as plans progress.

Harold Kennedy addressed council reference a ditch crossing his land off Bayshore Acres road, illegally. Municipality to advise the owner of the adjacent land of the problem and request the matter be corrected.

Moved by Sidney Cooper, seconded by Gary McKnight that general accounts number 4660 to 4818 totalling \$145,041.32, road accounts number 4166 to 4233 totalling \$55,836.83, and social services number

3662 to 3740 totalling \$14,137.77 be approved for payment. Carried.

Moved by Sidney Cooper, seconded by R. Glen Hodgson that the road superintendent arrange snow plowing on Harburn Court as per subdivision agreement and letter of November 29, 1982. Carried.

Moved by John Parish, seconded by D. I. Baker that the clerk arrange interim tax billing for 1983 at the earliest possible date. Carried.

Moved by Lloyd Leadbeater, seconded by R. Glen Hodgson that the reeve and

clerk be authorized to sign the lease between the municipality and the Ministry of Natural Resources re licence to use right-of-way, re: Whitney-Haliburton trail, for the purpose of a Public Snowmobile Trail. (Lots 24, 28 and 29 - on edge of twp. road right-of-way and bridge on York River at Martin's Mill). Carried.

Moved by Lloyd Leadbeater, seconded by R. Glen Hodgson that by-law number 82-51, being a by-law to adopt amendment number 10 to the Official Plan of the

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON OCAP.
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OPP report

During the period between December 6 and 12, 1982, personnel at Minden Detachment of the OPP investigated 13 motor vehicle accidents (nine of which occurred over the week-end which resulted in four people being injured) and 40 general occurrences (three break and enters, and two thefts).

Several of the above occurrences involved calls to county residents in response to domestic situations. These type of occurrences seem on the increase as they often are at this particular time of year.

Firearms

An incident involving the alleged discharging of a firearm over the head of a person near Wenona Lake in Dudley township has been resolved without personal injury.

Sunday evening, at 6:30 pm a Winona Lake resident, Wesley Allen Good, 43, drove into the driveway of a neighbor, Jean Claude Bouchard, 41, with whom he had been visiting with earlier in the day. Good alleges at this point that two shotgun blasts were fired over top of his vehicle.

Leaving the scene, Good drove a third person to Haliburton village and upon his return trip home, about 8:00 pm, again encountered Bouchard who was driving out the township road. At this point, it is alleged, a shotgun and a rifle were pointed at Good's head and threats were made against his life.

When this confrontation ended Bouchard returned to his home and Good telephoned the police.

In the early hours of Monday morning Bouchard's house was surrounded by police and he was talked into peacefully surrendering himself into police custody.

Bouchard has been charged with making threats to cause death and with possession of a weapon dangerous to the public peace. The incident was investigated by PC Barry Connelly and PC Boyd Jarvis assisted by Detective Sergeant Russ Woodbeck from District Headquarters in Peterborough.

Break and entry

This past week in Provincial Court in Minden, Oswald Simms, age 48, of RR 2 Haliburton, pled

guilty to a break and enter which occurred in September, 1982, in Guilford township. For this offence he was sentenced to 15 months in jail.

Simms had stolen three credit cards during the break-in and made use of them at various locations outside the county. Because the victim was a relative and had the same last name, using the credit cards was relatively easy for Simms. He received an additional eight months sentence for the fraudulent use of the cards.

Cars collide

On Saturday, December 11 at 10:15 am on Highway 35 near Horseshoe Lake Road north of Minden, two northbound vehicles collided. A 79 Pontiac station wagon received \$1,500 damage to its left side. The driver, Bonnie-Lee Berry, was turning into her driveway and received a minor injury as a result of the accident. The other vehicle, a '77 Monarch, also received \$1,500 damage.

The driver was Carol Toye, age 38, of lot 2, concession 4, Minden. Berry is age 33, and her address is lot two, concession three, Minden township. The investigating officer was PC Bob Wood.

Snowmobile mishap

On Saturday, December 11 at 10:55 am, a collision occurred on the Harburn Road, in Dysart township. A snowmobile, having been driven by Douglas White, 23, of Malton, was parked on the east side of the road while a change of spark plugs was being made.

An '81 AMC was northbound around a curve and was unable to stop in time nor to turn out around the snowmobile and the two collided. Glen MacDonald, 16, who had been sitting on the snowmobile was injured (not seriously) as was White who had been standing beside the machine.

A third person, Keijo Siltanen, age 55, who was also standing nearby received facial injuries when struck by the snowmobile after it was hit by the car. He was taken to Haliburton hospital and then transferred to Civic Hospital in Peterborough. White was charged with parking his snowmobile on the roadway. Investigated by PC Brian Dunham.

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trainees will qualify for premium assistance. Enquire at your local OHIP office.

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Monmouth council selects new committees



Tammy Lee and Brenda Blackburn of Wilberforce Public School are enjoying computer instruction. Here they try their luck at a computer concentration game.

Computer age in Wilberforce

by CAROL BOLTON
Echo Staff Writer
Students from Wilberforce Elementary School, under the supervision of their teacher Pat Clarke, are studying math and language programs on an Apple II Plus computer. With the computer

age upon us, boards across the province are examining various equipment for use in the schools. Some boards already have programs implemented.

The Clarks' have broadened their knowledge of

computers through their personal efforts and are very interested in their application in the educational system. And as for the children, well, let's just say it was an encounter of a very special kind.

Henderson's triple paces Chunkies

Harry Henderson bowled a 623 triple for the Chunkies, who took three points from the Smarties and keep their one point lead in the second series.

The Gumdrops lost five points to the Humbugs but stay in second place with 15 points.

The Big Six tie for second

place, also with 15 points. The Smarties are third with 14 and Humbugs and Turtles trail with 12 points each.

High bowlers this week were: Verla Wilson, (226, 234) 625 triple; Min Gilhooly (240) 626 triple; Harry Henderson (227, 215)

623 triple; and Jim Grant (248) 610 triple. Other games 200 and over included those of Kay Barry (236), Graham Gilhooly (231), Frieda Handy (226), Gord Bennet (213), Norma Hodgson (214), Vi Cornish (212), Wilbert Gibbs (210), Joan MacKay (204), and Ev Stata (202).

The inaugural meeting of the council of the township of Monmouth was held on December 6, 1982 at 7:00 pm. A small address was delivered to council by the reeve.

Members present included Reeve Keith Tallman, deputy-reeve Harry E Clark and councillors Jim Deterling, Barry Dunford, and Alan Revill.

Clerk - treasurer Sharon Stoughton took the minutes and visitors included Joanne Hughey (re petition for street lighting), Carol Bolton, Echo correspondent, and Frank DeCarlo and Larry Strong (observers).

Motions

• Moved by Dunford, seconded by Revill, that the minutes of the regular meeting held on November 1, 1982 at 7:00 pm and special meeting held on November 20, 1982 at 1:00 pm be adopted as circulated. Carried.

• Moved by Revill, seconded by Dunford, that the following bills and accounts be paid. General Voucher number 11, \$37,592.45; roads voucher number 11, \$7,847.99; and welfare pay-

roll number 11, \$738.27. Carried.

• Moved by Revill, seconded by Clark that by-law 82-22, being a by-law to establish certain lands as a municipal highway be read a first, second and third time and passed, as prepared. Carried.

• Moved by Revill, seconded by Dunford, that the clerk advise John Martin Junior that part one on a reference plan by Bishop and Wilson under date October 28, 1982 is too small for a building permit to be issued. Carried.

• Moved by Dunford, seconded by Revill, that we accept the road report for month of November. Carried.

• Moved by Deterling, seconded by Dunford, that by-law 82-24, being a by-law to establish a community at Tory Hill, Ontario in the Township of Monmouth, be read a first, second and third time and passed as prepared. Carried.

• Moved by Revill, seconded by Dunford, that by agreement with Ken Sanderson we make a refundable deposit of \$1,000 payable to

Ken Sanderson and/or the Bank of Nova Scotia based on an offer to purchase open until 5:00 pm January 11, 1983 of the property being part lot 33, concession 15, township of Monmouth otherwise known as the dairy building. The offer shall be that discussed as of August 31, 1982. Carried.

• Moved by Dunford, seconded by Deterling, be it resolved that Ken Noble look after the employment and immigration grant repaying the Tory Hill school. Carried.

• Moved by Dunford, seconded by Revill that we accept the agreement between the Monmouth Curling Club and Corporation of the Township of Monmouth, and that reeve and clerk be authorized to sign the agreement. Carried.

• Moved by Revill, seconded by Dunford, be it resolved that by-law 82-23, being a by-law to write off uncollectable taxes, be read a first, second and third time and passed as prepared. Carried.

• Moved by Revill, seconded by Dunford, be it resolved that the following committees be appointed for 1982:

Fence Viewers and Pound Keepers: George Earle, Frank DeCarlo, and Robert Young.

Stock Evaluators: Ken Noble.

Weed and Trench Inspectors: George Earle.

Fire Wardens: John Davidson, Harry Finlay, Walter Klapow, and Robert Young.

Library Committee: Alan Revill, Winnie Schofield, Margaret Finlay, Keith Cameron and Olive Atkinson.

Cemetery Board: Alan Revill, Barry Dunford, George Grant, Jim Deterling, Frank DeCarlo, Fred Berning, Brenda Berning, Reg Schofield, Kerry Barbour, Joyce Barras, Art Barras, and Edward Freeman.

Tory Hill Recreation Committee: Carman Coumbs, Ron Dack, Hubert Dunford, Ken Noble and Ruth Strong.

Roads Committee: Barry Dunford, Harry Clark, and Alan Revill. Carried.

• Moved by Revill, seconded by Dunford that Carman Coumbs be appointed to the committee of adjustment, term expires January 1, 1986. Carried.

• Moved by Dunford, seconded by Clark that an account in the name of the Corporation of the Township

of Monmouth (hereinafter called the "Corporation") be kept at the Bank of Nova Scotia (hereinafter called the "Bank") and that the reeve and the clerk are hereby authorized for and in the name of the corporation to sign, make, draw, accept, endorse and deliver cheques, promissory notes, bills of exchange, orders for the payment of money and such agreements and instruments as may be necessary or useful in connection with the operation of the said account.

That any one of the above-mentioned officers is hereby authorized for and in the name of the Corporation to endorse and transfer to the Bank for deposit or discount with or collection by the Bank (but for the credit of the Corporation only) cheques, promissory notes, bills of exchange, orders for the payment of money and other instruments, to arrange, settle, balance and certify all books and accounts with the Bank and to sign receipts for vouchers. Carried.

• Moved by Deterling, seconded by Dunford, that the following clause be added to the Welfare Policy Manual that we supplement unemployment benefits up to the general welfare assistance level. Carried.

Much business for new councillors at Dysart meeting

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Dysart planning area, be read a first time. Carried.

• Moved by John Parish, seconded by Sidney Cooper that by-law number 82-52, being a by-law to adopt Amendment number 11 to the Official Plan of the Dysart planning area, be read a first time. Carried.

• Moved by D. I. Baker, seconded by Lloyd Leadbeater that by-law number 82-53, being a by-law to authorize the purchase of land for gravel pit purposes, be read a first time. Carried.

• Moved by John Parish, seconded by Sidney Cooper that council adjourn to committee of the whole for second reading of by-law number 82-51, 82-52 and 82-53. Gary McKnight was appointed chairman. Carried.

• Moved by Murray Fearrey, seconded by John Parish, that by-law number 82-51, 82-52 and 82-53, be read a second time in committee of the whole and passed without amendment. Carried.

• Moved by Murray Fearrey, seconded by D.I. Baker, that the committee of the whole be adjourned and council resume. Carried.

• Moved by Sidney Cooper, seconded by Gary McKnight that by-law number 82-51, 82-52, and 82-53 be read a third time, finally passed, signed and sealed. Carried.

Project (Seniors Drop-In Centre). Carried.

• Moved by D.I. Baker, seconded by Lloyd Leadbeater that Roy Brohm be appointed to the County Library Board for the years 1983-85 inclusive. Carried.

• Moved by Sidney Cooper, seconded by Gary

McKnight that R.J. Bishop Senior be appointed to the Land Division Committee for the years 1983-85 inclusive. Carried.

• Moved by John Parish,

seconded by Sidney Cooper that the property standards committee, for the year 1983, be composed of R.J. Bishop, Jr., Don Poppel, and Vincent Connaughan. Carried.

• Moved by Gary McKnight, seconded by Sidney Cooper that the minutes of November 14 (finance and correspondence), and November 15 (regular council) be adopted as read. Carried.

• Moved by R. Glen Hodgson, seconded by Sidney Cooper that council concurs with the resolution of the council for the township of South Fredericksburgh with respect to a commemorative stamp for the bi-centennial celebration of the United Empire Loyalists settlement in Upper Canada. Carried.

• Moved by Lloyd Leadbeater that council adjourn at 2:31 p.m. until the next regular meeting, January 10, 1983, unless called prior to that time by the reeve. Carried.

Committee members, municipal officials appointed to their posts

• Moved by Gary McKnight, seconded by Sidney Cooper that the application for an amendment to the zoning by-law by Evering Associates Limited be approved. Carried.

• Moved by D.I. Baker, seconded by Lloyd Leadbeater that the reeve and clerk be authorized to sign the contract agreement with Employment and Immigration Canada for the Canada Community Development

McKnight that R.J. Bishop Senior be appointed to the Land Division Committee for the years 1983-85 inclusive. Carried.

• Moved by Sidney Cooper, seconded by Gary McKnight that Harold Bannan be appointed Wolf Bounty Officer for the Municipality of Dysart et al (for 1983) in accordance with the Wolf Bounty By-law requirements of the County of Haliburton. Carried.

seconded by D.I. Baker that the committee of adjustment be composed of the following persons:

(1) R.J. Bishop, Jr. for a term of one year, to expire Dec. 31, 1983.

(2) Don Poppel for a term of two years, to expire Dec. 31, 1984.

(3) Vincent Connaughan for a term of three years, to expire December 31, 1985. Carried.

C William Baker passes on

Carnil William Baker died suddenly at Shaughnessy Hospital, Vancouver, B.C. on December 9. He was formerly of Peterborough County and was a veteran of WWII. Husband of Mrs. Frances Baker. Loving father of Barbara Huggins. Son of the late Mr and Mrs William Baker. Brother of Mr Buck Lloyd Baker and Mrs Lloyd Whitaker (Hazel) and predeceased by Violet and Jessie. He is survived by five grandchildren.

Private funeral service in Vancouver, B.C. Prayers were offered in Haliburton United Church on Sunday



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WAYNE B. WOOD, C.M.C.
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Burt Smith of Lochlin was the master of ceremonies for Sunday's Christmas party, put on by the Snowdon Supporters' club and held in the Snowdon Community Centre. Smith led the children through Christmas carols and other seasonal practices.

New Glamorgan council sworn in

The inaugural meeting of the Glamorgan township council was held in council chambers on Wednesday, December 1, 1982.

Present were Reeve Robert I. McCausland, deputy-reeve R. Jane Franklin, councillors: Larry Hunter, Dallyn Pickens and Glen Madill. Also on hand were staff members Elva V. Bates, clerk-treasurer; Vince Billings, road superintendent and guests: Roger Sauve, Kenneth Maguire, past reeve; Walter Leveck.

The meeting was called to order by the clerk who administered the declarations of office for the members of council and turned the meeting over to the Reeve.

Reeve McCausland invited Pastor Sauve to address council and deputy-reeve Franklin thanked the Pastor for his blessing.

Reeve McCausland then presented the past-reeve, Kenneth Maguire, with a token of appreciation for his dedication to the municipality during his term of office. Maguire graciously accepted the gift and took his leave.

Leveck congratulated the members of council on their election to office and wished

them well for the coming Term of Office.

A number of matters currently under consideration were discussed and the following resolutions were passed:

- Moved by R. Jane Franklin, seconded by Dallyn Pickens that the following appointments be made to standing committees of council until November 30, 1985: Roads and Waste Disposal Committee - Larry Hunter and Dallyn Pickens; Community Planning and Development Committee - Robert I. McCausland and Jane Franklin; By-law Enforcement Committee - Larry Hunter and Glen Madill; Job Creation Committee - Dallyn Pickens and Larry Hunter; Fire Department Committee - Jane Franklin and Dallyn Pickens. Carried.

- Moved by R. Jane Franklin, seconded by Glen Madill that the following appointments be made to the Cemetery Board: Dallyn Pickens, F. Howard Hillis and James Manley; term of office to terminate November 30, 1985. Carried.

- Moved by Dallyn Pickens, seconded by L. Hunter that the following persons be

appointed to the Recreation and Community Centre Committee: Glen Madill, R. Jane Franklin, Craig Pettit, and Robert Winder. Carried.

- Moved by Dallyn Pickens, seconded by Glen Madill that the following persons be appointed to the library committee: Larry Hunter, Elva Hunter and Yvonne MacDuff until November 30, 1985. Carried.

- Moved by L. Hunter, seconded by Dallyn Pickens that the following appointments be made until November 30, 1985: Fence Viewers: Theodore Peacock, Albert White and Glen Bird; Stock Evaluator Theodore Peacock. Carried.

- Moved by R. Jane Franklin, seconded by Dallyn Pickens that the following persons be recommended to the Ministry of Natural Resources for appointment: Fire Wardens: James Manley, Caro Mintz and Dale Parnell; Permit Issuers: Robert Young and Schwandt Lumber, Gooderham Branch. Carried.

- Moved by R. Jane Franklin, seconded by Dallyn Pickens that a donation in the amount of \$50 be made to the Minden Red Cross Hospital

in memory of Wilfred Lahay. Carried.

- Moved by R. Jane Franklin, seconded by Glen Madill that Larry Hunter be authorized to hire employees for the CCDP program and to terminate employees if not satisfactory. Carried.

- Moved by R. Jane Franklin, seconded by Dallyn Pickens that application for consent H181/82 be recommended for approval subject to the following conditions: (1) That application be made for a minor variance regarding the area of the retained lands;

(2) That the severed lands be joined to the grantee's lands as indicated;

(3) That legal ingress and egress be provided to the grantee's lands;

(4) That administration fee of \$50 be paid to the township. Carried.

- Moved by R. Jane Franklin, seconded by Dallyn Pickens that Robert McCausland, Vince Billings and Jane Franklin be authorized to attend the 1983 OGRA conference and that Larry Hunter and Robert McCausland be authorized to attend the 1983 ROMA conference. Carried.

A, H and M council starts on the right foot

Minutes of the inaugural meeting of the council of the townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden held at the Minden Community Centre December 8 with Reeve Lyle McKnight in the chair.

Present were deputy-reeve E. Pergolas, councillors P. Burk, L. Cummins, G. Kenney, MLEO R.C. Schell, road superintendent E. Kent, and clerk-treasurer E. Burke.

The clerk - treasurer administered the declaration of office and oath of allegiance to all members of council.

Reverend Westhaver was

then called upon and he read a passage from the scriptures as well as delivered a prayer of inspiration for council in its future deliberations of municipal affairs.

Reeve McKnight then addressed the audience and thanked everyone for attending. He advised that he would work diligently on behalf of the township in these tough economic times.

He also paid tribute to the staff and trusted that everyone could work together in harmony. He explained that constructive criticism would

be accepted throughout his term in office.

Deputy-reeve Pergolas stated that he would cut out wastage as a great deal of responsibility was placed on council. He reported that our townships will take their place as number one in the county.

The council members reiterated the reeve and deputy-reeve's comments and agreed to work toward many accomplishments in the next three years.

Harold Deacon was present with a list of signatures of persons requesting a safer

alternate entrance to Anson Street across property owned by Lyle McKnight.

Reeve McKnight declared an interest in this matter and refrained from discussing the subject.

Deacon explained that the existing intersection at Peck Street is very congested and the approach is on an incline making it very dangerous for the residents on Anson Street.

Council agreed to form a committee to review the proposal and report to the next meeting.

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Farmers should get into the practice of inventory

How often have you seen a sign in a local business -- "Closed for Inventory?" Businessmen take stock at the end of their business year. Farmers certainly are businessmen too, but too often they do not get around to taking inventory.

Farmers give two main reasons for not taking inventory. Many farmers feel they only have a small business so they do not need sophisticated records, and feel they are able to keep their inventory records in

their heads. However, many farm businesses have become quite large, and farmers' memories seem to get shorter. Secondly, income tax authorities have permitted farmers to file their business statements on a cash basis without considering inventories. As many farmers have kept records mainly for

tax purposes, they have ignored their inventory records, as a result.

However, today there is a new motive for farmers to keep records -- it is called business survival. Farmers need to have much better statements on their farm business than their tax statement can provide. The

basis for these improved statements is first, a good record keeping system, and second, an accurate farm inventory.

Most farmers today have a good record keeping system for their tax file. However, the majority of farmers do not yet have good inventory records.

The Anglican Church of Canada ...welcomes you...

Christmas Eve

St. George's, Haliburton

6:45 p.m. - Caroling

7:45 p.m. - Holy Communion

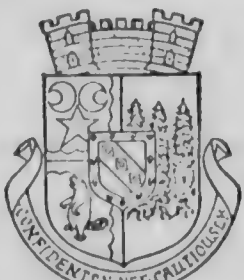
St. Andrew's, West Guilford -

11:00 p.m. - Holy Communion

Christmas Day

St. Margaret's, Wilberforce - 10:30 a.m.

- Holy Communion



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NOTICE

By-law #1186 of the County of Haliburton has been approved by the Minister of Natural Resources; Pursuant to the Trees Act R.S.O. 1980 C-510, and applies only to those lands comprising the **United Townships of Dysart et al.** The By-law regulates the harvesting of forest products and all those involved in the industry should familiarize themselves as to the context and intent of the said by-law.

Copies are available at the Municipal Office, Haliburton, Ontario.

WAYNE B. WOOD, C.M.C.,
Clerk-Administrator

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MUNICIPALITY OF DYSART ET AL



The Municipality expects to have openings for a number of interested people to serve on various and sundry Municipal Committees for 1983.

Would those persons interested, please provide a resume by December 30, 1982. Openings are expected to be on the following committees and/or boards:

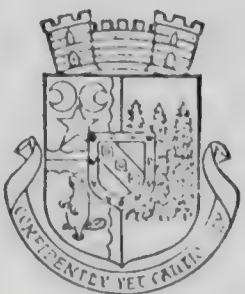
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- Dysart Community Centres Board
- Dysart Recreation Committee
- West Guilford Recreation Committee
- Harcourt Recreation Committee
- Harcourt Community Centres Board
- Haliburton County Pioneer Museum Committee
- * Dysart Committee of Adjustment
- * Dysart Property Standards Committee
- * Ontario Home Renewal Committee
- * Haliburton County Library Committee
- * Land Division Committee

Further -

Fire Wardens are required for all areas within the Township. These positions are voluntary.

* A small expense allowance is provided on those indicated with an asterisk.

WAYNE B. WOOD, C.M.C.,
Clerk-Administrator



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R.S. English,
Municipal Law Enforcement Officer.

Wilberforce News

The craft class held in the library December 10 drew many enthusiastic youngsters who took part in the making of Christmas tree ornaments and table centre pieces. We are fortunate to have the creative instruction of Donna Herbert who can help the children produce these handicrafts and develop their own ideas. The number of small children present required the aid of other adults and lending a hand were Jill Lee, Doris Waymouth (who works weekly with the brownies), and Ria Wade. Bessie Croft showed films and assisted with the classes. These evenings of instruction and entertainment are done on a voluntary basis and the adults deserve our praise and appreciation.

The craft class that was to have been held on December 17 has been cancelled.

Crowds of excited children, looking very colorful in their various shades of mittens and toques, greeted Santa Claus as he appeared at the fire hall on one of the big red trucks. He took his place on a throne that stood before a beautifully decorated Christmas tree. Each child was invited to confide in him their Christmas wishes and he encouraged the shy ones to share their expectations.

A few little tots couldn't overcome their alarm at the appearance of the kind old gentleman even though parents coaxed and reassured them. Each child received a bag of goodies and a can of pop. This was supplied by the firemen and distributed by kindhearted Roberta

Walsh. Later there was free skating at the arena where the South Algonquin Kinsmen Club provided hot dogs and chips.

This Thursday, December 16 the Kinsmen will be holding a turkey bingo at the Lloyd Watson Centre. The games start at 8 pm. Everyone is welcome. On Friday, December 17 a very good concert is being held at the Harcourt Community Centre. The girl guides and brownies will be taking part in this event. A good attendance is anticipated. Don't miss this evening of entertainment.

Congratulations to Mrs Violet Bowen who on Saturday, December 18 will be celebrating her 87th birthday. Violet and John Bowen raised ten children, nine of whom are still living. Violet Bowen, who has come through her period of ill health with courage, has never lost her zest for life. She maintains an active life and has the reputation of a great quilt maker. So best wishes to her for many more happy years.

A special service takes place on Sunday, December 19 when Bill Gliddon brings the senior choir from St George's church in Haliburton to St Margaret's. You won't want to miss this program of delightful Christmas music. The service is at 9 am.

Through the generosity of our residents the Christmas tree in St Margaret's has yielded many warm articles of clothing that are now being shipped to Toronto to the Church Army Headquarters. They will be distributed to needy persons who are very much in want at this

time. Also being sent are used toys that have been brought in by children of the Sunday school over the past few weeks.

The Christmas service at St Margaret's takes place at 10:30 am Christmas day. Winner of the 50-50 draw held recently by the Monmouth Figure Skating Club was Jack Billings of Gooderham.

A special service was held in the Gooderham United Church on Sunday, December 12 to mark the retirement of the Rev Henry Getz from his position of overseer to the Northern Pastoral Region. The service, taken by Mr Morris Bradley, included members from the Tory Hill, Wilberforce and Highland Grove United Churches. Gospel music was presented by Gerard Mumford and the Bluegrass Mountaineers on their stringed instruments. Myrtle Kitson of the Highland Grove church gave a pleasing solo number.

A plaque was presented to the Rev Henry Getz with a suitable wording commend-

ing him for his devotion and service to the work of the church. A pot luck supper brought the people together in a friendly atmosphere.

Of interest to anyone still planning their New Year's Eve celebration: tickets are still available for the big dance sponsored by Minor Hockey to be held at the Lloyd Watson Centre. The cost is \$15 per couple, a buffet will replenish the energy you used up dancing the night away, and music will be provided by a local DJ.

For further information, contact Bob Anderson at 448-2576 or Sally Stoughton at 448-2725. They'll be more than happy to supply you with the necessary tickets.

Concerned with your future? The second in a series of three timely films will interest you then. On Sunday December 19 at 7:30 pm "A Distant Thunder" will be shown in St Margaret's Church in Wilberforce. Everyone is welcome.

Minden minor hockey wrap-up

scoring problems this past week but I am sure they will get back on track before their tournament on Carnival week-end.

Atoms
In Bobcaygeon December 7 Bobcaygeon downed Minden 4-2.

Scoring for Minden were Robbie Ackerblade (unassisted) and Joey Boyle from Darren Sawyer.

In Haliburton December 10 Minden beat Haliburton 6-1.

Scoring for Minden were

Robbie Ackerblade (three unassisted goals), Robbie Ackerblade from Justin Gentle, Joey Boyle from Kent Taylor, and Kent Taylor from Hunter Obee and Joey Boyle. Scoring for Haliburton was John Vuksic.

In Minden December 12 Fenelon Falls dropped Minden 8-3.

Scoring for Minden were Robbie Ackerblade from Darren Sawyer, Joey Boyle from Kent Taylor, and Robbie Ackerblade from Kent Taylor and Darren Sawyer.

A thank you to volunteers of the Haliburton County Home Support Services. Their program was a delightful event last Friday, December 3, at the Pine-Stone Inn.

This was presided over by Ivan Hunter, chairman. Seventeen volunteers from Gooderham attended.

The Christmas meeting of the UCV was held at the home of Margaret Pickens December 6, with a good attendance. Grace Billings, president, conducted the meeting.

Carols were sung, roll call was answered with a Christmas poem; the Christmas story was about a Jewish girl in a small prairie town who walked all year in the shadow of difference until Christmas, when the unexpected happened. The business period was followed by a gift exchange, which created a happy time.

The ladies socialized over a piece of delicious "Black Forest cake" and a cup of tea served by the hostess.

Friends of Crawford Shier, a former resident, will be

Gooderham News

glad to know that he is recovering from a severe heart attack in a Toronto hospital, all hope for a complete recovery and a return home soon.

Eva and Carl Sisson, of Lindsay, spent last week-end at the home of Yvonne and Elgin MacDuff.

We are glad to report that Wendy Hunter is progressing nicely following surgery in the Kingston General Hospital and expects to be home soon.

Sorry to hear that Mrs Lloyd King is ill with pneumonia in the Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay. We trust she will have a speedy recovery.

Pine Lake was frozen over by December 10. This is much later than usual, thanks to our mild weather lately. This will surely shorten our winter but it has been a disappointment to our ski enthusiasts.

Pre-Christmas visitors with Violet Billings were her daughter, Ruth Madill; her granddaughter, Cindy Radford, and her two great grandchildren, Andrea and Gordon Radford of Clinton.

The last meeting of the

Glamorgan Senior Citizens' Club for 1982 took the form of the annual Christmas dinner in the community centre, on Wednesday, December 8. Sixty-three guests attended this sumptuous turkey dinner with all the trimmings.

President Ivan Hunter introduced the guests and the executive, each of whom brought greetings. Norma Fotheringham presided at the piano for a sing-song of Christmas carols. Games and socializing brought a pleasant afternoon to a close.

Much credit is due Evelyn Vanderland and her committee members for the delicious meal and for the artistic Christmas decorations. The Centre looked very attractive and festive.

Use was made of the new folding tables and stacking chairs purchased recently with a grant from New Horizons.

There will be no meetings during the holiday season but they will resume January 12 at 12:30 pm. We have a friendly and cooperative group and extend a cordial welcome to all seniors to join us.

Several from Gooderham attended "The Savage Dilemma" presented by the Highlands Little Theatre group at the Haliburton High School last week-end and directed by Mike Collins. They found this comedy well-written, with the cast doing an excellent job in this, their seventh production.

If possible, it seems each one is even better than the preceding ones. We congratulate the H.L.T. group.

Haliburton County Home Support Services has been successful in securing two

young persons hired through an Ontario Career Action Program funded by the provincial government to assist seniors to stay in their own homes for a longer period of time, by providing them with some low-cost home help.

This help can be given for as little as \$2.50 an hour. The organization is here to help! Call 457-2941.

The foot care clinic will not be held in January. The next clinic will take place in the Community Centre Monday afternoon, February 7 and continue the first Monday of each month thereafter. Kindly call 447-2803 for an appointment by noon, February 4.

The Pentecostal Sunday school concert was held in the church last Friday evening. A good crowd was present as the children presented the Christmas story in song, recitations, exercise and with a nativity play "Tell me the Story of Christmas."

Julie Hunter and Pastor Sauve delighted everyone with their solo numbers as well as their accompaniment on piano and organ.

Carols were sung throughout the evening. Bags of candy and goodies were distributed to the eager children, bringing another Sunday school concert to a close.

May I take this opportunity to wish my readers a merry Christmas and health, happiness and peace in the New Year.

A Holy Child of Bethlehem,
Descend to us we pray,
Cast out our sin and enter in,
Be born in us today.

Norland Natter

by KELLY GRAHAM
Well, it looks as if the weather has finally caught up with the season. However the Norland residents have known that Christmas was coming all along.

In the past week we have had three Christmas festivities: the Christmas tea, the turkey bingo and the Sunday School concert.

Although the first two were well attended, I'm afraid the Sunday School concert was performed only after this article was printed, not written.

The turkey bingo was so successful extra tables had to be put up. The caller was Old Saint Nick himself (ho, ho, ho).

Still to come is our very own Christmas variety show. It will be performed on December 17 and 18 at the Norland Community Hall.

Tickets are \$1.50 for adults and 75 cents for students. Preschool children are admitted free of charge.

The hockey pool winner for Saturday, December 4 was Jackie Pyke. Jackie is Helen

Graham's brother, (ha, that family strikes again).

Recently, while visiting his aunt in Weston, Jason Moss took sick and had to be taken to the Memorial Hospital in Weston. I am happy to hear that he is now home.

My sympathy is extended to two of our local families. First to Rudy Janke who suffers in the loss of his sister and then to John Harrison whose mother passed away suddenly.

A local business, Bartley Motors is raffling off a three-layered Christmas cake.

Tickets are 50 cents each.

The winner of the first one was Susan Lightfoot. Try your luck on the second one.

The euchre scores for Thursday, December 9 are as follows: ladies high, Janice Chynoweth and Mary Ann Chynoweth (tie); men's high, Doug Taylor; lone hands, Mike Puterbaugh, and Tony Kenneth (tie).

Well that's all for this week. If you have any interesting items for me please contact me at 454-3707.

Santa is on his way... to Haliburton

Saturday, December 18th

Santa will arrive at the Legion at 1:00 p.m.

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Kinmount Korner by Millie Moss

First of all I would like to thank everyone who either walked or drove to our house one day last week looking for me. Our son Bill and grandson Jason had gone to Toronto for the week-end where Jason became ill and was hospitalized for a few days. Very high fever with some kind of virus which I'm told has hit a number of youngsters.

Because of our moving we are without a phone until December 14 so of course no one could reach us to tell of Jason and why they wouldn't be home from the city Sunday as planned.

My mom began calling anyone she could think of in Kinmount and also a lady in Minden who promptly called someone else in Kinmount and that's when everyone started calling here only to find that no one was home.

Of all days that was the one Bill and I had to attend to some business matters in Fenelon Falls and Lindsay. Thanks also to Cindy and Adam Hills who walked over after dark because they had "been thinking of Jason all day and were worried about him." Thanks again to all of you and Jason is coming along and was at our house for a few days following his hospital stay.

The Kinmount Public School will be holding its annual Christmas concert in the community hall on Monday, December 20 at 7:30 pm. Admission to adults \$1, high school students 75 cents and there will be no charge to public school or preschool children. Come out and enjoy your young ones.

Results of the Galway Wednesday night euchre party: men's high, Harry Stuart; mens low, Peter Franzen; ladies high, Pauline Franzen; ladies low, Brenda Longhurst; most lone hands, Leon Wright.

Hope to hear Alex Graham, Reg McCluney, Irene McNamara, all the little guys with that miserable virus, Bill Moss Jr., Mary Pyke and Jason are feeling much better by the time this is in print. Sure lots of colds doing the rounds right now and Janet Abela was one of those victims last week. Speaking of the Janet, Bill and I were into their lunchroom a few times last week during the course of our moving and if you'd like a real family atmosphere that's the place. Nothing fancy but food is really good and very friendly people. Try them, you'll like them.

I think I was handed a very nice compliment by Marion

Scott, our next door neighbour of about two months over on the river, last week, when she came out to say good bye. Her words were "you were here just long enough for us to start getting to know you -- and you up and leave. It's just like a piece of pie to somebody and then grabbing it back." Thank you very much Marion and you too Ken for all your friendly arguments with Bill.

I got the following recipe from the radio this week and thought you might like to try some for the holidays. They're called: chocolate cherry bon bons: one cup icing sugar, 1/2 cup cocoa, 1/2 cup margarine, one cup finely chopped, toasted,

blanched almonds, 1/4 tsp. almond essence, 24 well drained maraschino cherries, some finely chopped, toasted, blanched almonds and maraschino cherry pieces. Sift together the sugar and cocoa. Melt margarine in saucepan and cook until hot and bubbly.

Remove from heat. Blend the cocoa mixture with nuts and almond flavoring into the hot margarine. Shape small spoonfuls around a cherry to coat smoothly.

Dip into the chopped nuts and garnish with a piece of cherry. Chill until set and store in refrigerator. Makes 24 candies.

The ceramics classes are still going strong at the home

of Chris Kerr in Coboconk and we "girls" are sure turning out some dandies. If you're interested in attending classes give Chris a call at 454-3386.

As previously mentioned we should have our phone in again December 14 and I'm told it will be 488-2353. Give me a call if you wish to report any news.

A fire started at the Schlosser property just south of town on highway 121, in the early morning a week ago. The storage shed and contents were lost to a considerable amount and the fire was going up into the trees but luckily the house was unharmed.

Stay well and happy and be here next week.

Coboconk News

Isn't it sad that we live in a society where some idiots feel they must destroy any structure, furniture, or whatever that strikes their fancy?

Our local post office has had the flag stolen a number of times, from the pole in front of the post office - then these same characters hang around in the warmth of the lobby, and mess around there, burning the discarded flyers in the waste baskets and pulling down the shelf that is in the lobby, placed there to sort through your mail.

As a last resort, the post master now has official permission to shorten the hours that the lobby will be open. So now, you people -- where will you hang out next?

It's a shame that this rule has to be but there must be some deterrent.

Marj Henderson is home again from Ross Memorial Hospital, and Bill Downes, who has also been in RMH should be back at his home on North Bay Drive this week-end. Hope you folk continue to improve.

Monday evening some 13 LOBA members enjoyed a pot-luck dinner and meeting and Christmas gift exchange. Wednesday night, Rev and Mrs Cross of Norland opened their home for the Ladies Missionary meeting group for their sing-song, pot-luck dinner and gift exchange and also, drew names for a "secret sister" for the year. A good time was had by all.

Winners in the seniors card games on Tuesday were as follows: euchre: ladies first, Vina Bell, 80; ladies second, Mildred Faulkner, 70; most lone hands, Vina Bell, seven; consolation, Kay Clodd, 40; gent's first, Hilda Chynoweth, 13; gent's second, Tom Bowins, 69; most lone hands, Laurie Barkwell, four; consolation, Charles Clodd, 43.

Bridge winners were: first, Lily Smith, 5050; second, Mary Purdon, 4840; and consolation Mary Heffer, 1950.

Congratulations to Wilhamine Liscombe, who I hear won \$600 in the Legion draw at the Legion Hall on Monday night.

That's sure a welcome surprise at this time of year!

Mr and Mrs Herb Fell of Lindsay spent a couple of days with her parents, Mr and Mrs Sanford Richman last week.

Mr Ed Nesbitt of Oshawa visited his mother, Mrs Frances Nesbitt last week.

Last Sunday evening, yours truly accompanied by Mrs Donna White of Calgary, Alberta and Mrs Myrtle Faulkner of Coby, journeyed to the Hi-way Pentecostal Church at Barrie to take in their Christmas concert and program.

We enjoyed it very much in spite of a wet drive over.



Chatting with Irene

by Irene Moore

What I'd like to have for Christmas I can tell you in a minute; the family all around me and the home with laughter in it.

Never mind the usual trinkets, wrapped in tissue, tied with ribbon. I want chuckles from the oldest to the baby with a bib on.

Let me settle in my corner when the Christmas tree is lighted; I'll enjoy their shouts of wonder as the youngsters grow excited.

Let me see their bright eyes shining and cheeks with health the pink of, as my gift for Christmas morning that's the finest I can think of.

What I really want for Christmas is a gift that's precious very.

It's the family all around me and a Christmas Day that's merry.

But the richest man now living hasn't gold enough to buy it.

Only God above can grant it and His blessings must supply it.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Robinson visited with Mr and Mrs Ern Voicay at Gamebridge last week. While there their niece Mrs Paul Cockburn of Woodville came over to see them.

Mr and Mrs David Davidson of Toronto have been at their cottage on Hawk Lake for the past week.

There has been such a good attendance of children at the Friday evening movies, that Mrs Sears, Mrs Durant and Mrs Wood are having special movies for Christmas in the common room at the Cultural Centre, on Thursday afternoon, December 23, starting at 1:30 pm until 2:30 pm. It is hoped that many children will be able to come. P.S. they have gifts for you, but don't say I told you.

It's time to enjoy the good things of Christmas, a time

when we give and we share, when children are wide-eyed in breathless suspense, and the sweet scent of pine fills the air.

It's time for old carols, old customs, old friends, for shortbread and cookies and cake.

For trinket - filled stockings, for holly, for wreaths, and the good things that Mother will bake.

It's time for the turkey and cranberry sauce, and the fireplace and stories re-told.

For the good things of Christmas are wrapped up in joy, and the cherished traditions of old.

All the friends of Grace Earle will be happy to know that she will be home from hospital shortly.

We all hope that Elda Henderson will soon be home from Civic Hospital. Any cards may be sent to room 501, Hutchison Wing, or to her home here.

Winners at last weeks mini card party were cribbage - Gordon Kellett, euchre - Hilda Harrison, lone hands - Marjorie Coulter.

Last Sunday the family threw a lovely birthday party for Ethel Harrison's 80th birthday. At noon the family surprised her with a luncheon, present were many nephews and nieces, also great nephews and nieces.

Present for the noon meal were Mr and Mrs David McCallum of Toronto, Mr and Mrs Roy McCallum and Scott of Lindsay, Mr and Mrs Don Grummett and Drew of Mississauga, Mr and Mrs Alan Brydson and Lesley of Bracebridge, Mr and Mrs Gordon Dawkins and Beverley of Rexdale, Dorothy and Laurie McCallum, also Marjorie Dawkins of Lindsay, Mr and Mrs Earl Bird, Nancy and Julie of RR 2 Minden,

and myself.

During the afternoon and evening many friends came to wish her happy birthday, of which Rev Elliott was one, whom we all were happy to see. All in all this is one birthday she will never forget, Mrs Mary Oliver came up as well, thanks to her daughter.

If Christmas didn't come each year,

How could we celebrate with holly wreaths and mistletoe by the grate?

Why make the pudding, cut the cake, or decorate the tree, if Yuletide didn't represent a time of gaiety?

Old friends, old times, old thoughts, old smiles, old tears -- these come again at Christmas time to all; sad or bright, they may not always stay,

But they are ours once more on Christmas Day.

Merry Christmas to all my friends and readers. Adios and take care now.

Dorset News

"Here's a safety tip. When you drive keep in mind what a replacement car would cost."

Somebody must be doing something right. With the price of heating fuel what it is, I'm sure everyone is thankful for the unseasonal temperatures we have been enjoying.

If you remember last year we were having some pretty chilly weather, which started early in November with readings in the high teens and low twenties and in the low thirties as high in December. So we shall not pay any attention to predictions of gloomy forecasters who claim it will be a long cold winter, but just wait and see what comes.

The foot clinic will be on December 15 this month so call for your appointment, 766-2237.

A number of couples have gone to Florida for a holiday. When they learn of the warm

weather we have been having they will, no doubt, wish they had postponed their sojourn.

The Christmas bazaar was once again a great success and Dorset Guide Company and Anglican ladies would like to thank all of the folks who came out and purchased their wares.

Where are all those nice people that were going to call me with a report on their activities. You know, your friends and neighbours are interested in what you are doing, as I often have people tell me, "I didn't know that so-and-so was in Florida, hospital or whatever until I read it in the news." So please call 766-2237 with any news items.

H.H. If you put a tablespoon of white vinegar in the water when boiling potatoes they will stay white for salads and as well will be fluffier when mashed or whipped.

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New photocopier on the way to A, H and M

from page 12

Council directed the clerk to proceed to stop up, close and convey a portion of the original allowance for road to Hugh Graham, said property being located in front of Mr. Graham's property in part of lot 21, concession two, township of Minden.

Murray Rochford attended council to request the township to provide winter maintenance on the roadway serving his property.

The matter was to be discussed by the roads committee and a report made to council.

Pursuant to a letter from the OPP announcing the dates required for court purposes, council agreed to hold its regular meetings on the second and fourth Thursday of each month effective January 1983.

Council agreed to clear Osprey Lane, a roadway owned by the township, of snow in the 1982/83 season and Mr. Paul Galor, owner of Lot 3 Plan 606 was to be notified accordingly.

Two quotations were received to supply a photocopier.

• Moved by L. Cummins, seconded by E. Pergolas that we accept the quotation of Able Office Equipment to supply one number M Model 545 dry plain paper copier at a cost of \$2,431.00 together with the regular service program. Carried.

• Moved by G. Kenney, seconded by P. Burk that Wally Bunn be reappointed to the Land Division Committee for the Provisional County of Haliburton to December 31, 1985. Carried.

• Moved by E. Pergolas, seconded by G. Kenney that severance applications #H 182/82 and H183/82 be approved pursuant to Policy number six. Carried.

• Moved by L. Cummins, seconded by P. Burk that severance application number 179/82 be approved subject to the following conditions: 1) Deposit to be registered on title that applicant disclaims interest in any portion of the 33 feet

from the centre line of the existing travelled road which may be encroaching on applicant's land as shown in parts two, three, four, five and six. 2) The property lines of parcels two, three, four, five and six must not protrude beyond edge of land and water shown as drowned land per copy of our letter dated August 19, 1979. 3) Payment of the required \$50 municipal fee. Carried.

• Moved by G. Kenney, seconded by P. Burk that council has no objections to an application by Wayne Terry to dredge property fronting part lot 30, concession ten, Township of Minden providing that the applicant be responsible for the proper drainage of water from the roadway to the lake, and that the road superintendent be authorized to inspect the area prior to final grading to ensure that this drainage matter is satisfactorily resolved. Also any future maintenance costs as a result of this application

shall be borne by the applicant or subsequent property owner. Carried.

• Moved by E. Pergolas, seconded by L. Cummins, that the following accounts be approved for payment: general, \$89,167.71; water, \$1,914.11; sewer \$7,237.63. Carried.

Reeve McKnight declared an interest in OHRP payment and refrained from discussion or voting thereon.

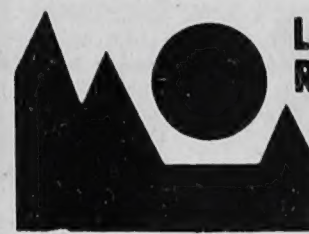
• Moved by P. Burk, seconded by G. Kenney that council authorizes the 1982 payment to the members of the OHRP committee in the amount of \$1,200. Carried.

Ed Pergolas - NAY vote. Reeve McKnight reported that he would donate his payment to the Minden Plexi-glass fund.

• Moved by P. Burk, seconded by L. Cummins that the PWD accounts for the month of November be approved for payment in the amount of \$58,575.75. Carried.

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Wilberforce skaters take three of four this week

Our local teams from Wilberforce took three out of the four games in the minor hockey league games played this past Saturday. It was a 5-2 score in favor of our Bantams when they defeated the Bancroft home team, and the PeeWees came up with their first win of the year when they put in four goals to their opponents' two.

Wilberforce Novices were outplayed to the tune of 9-0, while the Atoms continued their unbroken shut-out record with a 6-0 win. On December 15, Wilberforce Bantams travel to Apsley for an 8:00 pm game, then to Bancroft on December 18 to play at 8:00 am. Our PeeWees will play Bancroft at home on December 13 at 7:30 pm, then will challenge Haliburton

here on December 18 at 2:00 pm. The Atoms go to Bancroft on December 18 for a 10:30 am game, while the Novices meet Haliburton here on December 18 at 12:00 noon.

The Inter-City Tire team of the Tri-County League made a whopping comeback this past week-end, coming up with a big 3-2 win over Bancroft Pharmacy Friday night. At home Saturday they provided some excellent plays to defeat Bird's Creek 9-5.

This Friday, December 17, they'll meet Bancroft Old-timers at home at 9:00 pm. An added attraction will be the draw that night for the "Texas mickey" for which tickets have been available. Sunday night means a trip to meet Apsley at 8:30 pm.

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He completed his project and relocated the stream the way he wanted to, but he also ended up in court where the judge assessed him \$400 in fines. He had created two unapproved stream diversions and was fined \$150 and \$250 respectively. As well as project costs, legal fees, and fines, the landowner is now financially responsible for returning the stream to its original condition.

Moving, changing or rearranging water courses is not always a good idea and without the proper approvals and permits it can be quite illegal.

The Lakes and Rivers Improvement Act gives the Ministry of Natural Resources authority over any work which interferes with natural water courses.

Under this act, you require a permit for any work that holds back, forwards or diverts water. Getting a permit is a two-step procedure. The outline proposal of your project must be examined and the location of the dam or work must be approved. Also the plans and specifications of the work must be approved. The entire process is lengthy, so plan ahead.

Damming and digging in streams causes many problems, blocking of fish migration routes, silting of spawning beds, increased sediment in the water, increased temperatures and destruction of fish habitat. The Ministry of Natural Resources is not the only agency concerned with these problems. Sometimes the Ministry of the Environment will be involved and local conservation authorities can and do make regulations restricting and regulating alterations to water courses.

Don't learn the hard, expensive way, contact your local MNR office for further information.

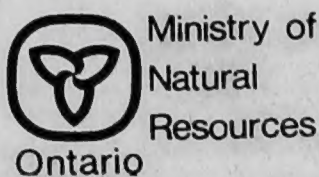
TIMBER SALE

Tenders will be received by the Ministry of Natural Resources up to and including Tuesday, January 4, 1983 at 12:00 noon E.S.T for the right to cut the timber on part of Lots 20 - 25 inclusive, Concession XIV, Hindon Township, Provisional County of Haliburton.

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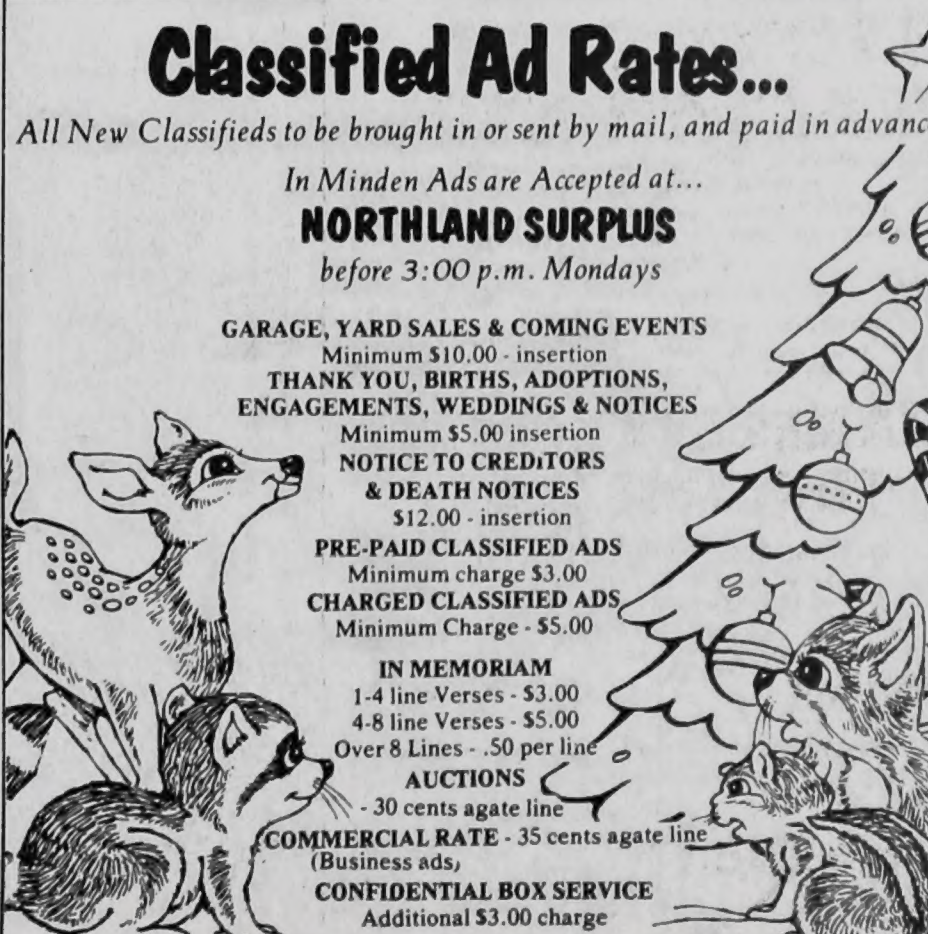
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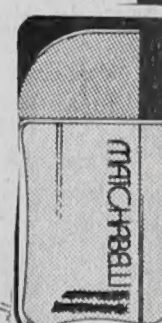
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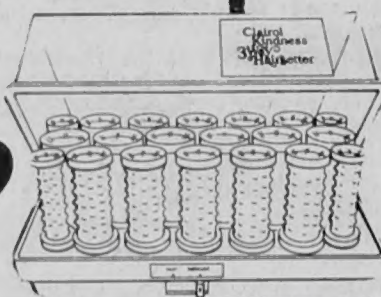


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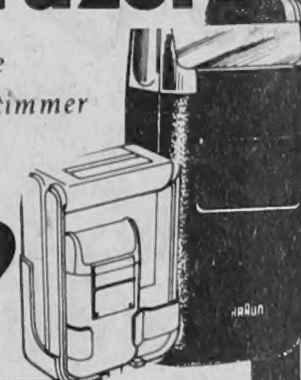
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